

1904 Summaries

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Asylum of Poston Commandery, N. T.

Masonic Temple, Boylston Street,

Poston, Wednesday, November 16,
1904.

Stated Conclave,

a Commandery of Knights Templars was
opened in Dignity Form at seven thirty
p'clock, P. M.

Officers present

E. Sir Richard A. Alwood,	Commander,
Sir Charles S. Danrell,	Generalissimo,
Sir James S. Blake,	Captain General,
Sir Rev. George L. Cerni, D.D.,	Prelate,
Sir Jesse E. Ames,	Senior Warden,
Sir Leonard W. Rose,	Junior Warden,
_____	Treasurer
E. Sir J. Gilman Waite,	Recorder
Sir John A. Bell,	Standard Bearer
Sir Edgar F. Hunt,	Sword Bearer
Sir Frederick O. Graves,	Warden
_____	Third Guard
Sir Francis H. Appleton,	Second Guard
Sir Joseph T. Paul,	First Guard
Sir George S. Fortu,	Guard

_____	Guard
Sir Fred P. Hayward	"
Sir Vernon M. Peirce	"
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_____	"
_____	"
Sir J. Frederick Sampson,	Armourer
Sir Thomas M. Foster,	Musical Director
Sir Eben H. Bailey,	Organist
Sir Edward F. Jacobs,	Sentinel

2 Past Eminent Commanders present:

E. Sir James M. Mason,
 E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield,
 E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield,
 E. Sir Eugene A. Holtow,
 E. Sir J. Gilman Waite
 E. Sir Rinaldo P. Richardson

3 The records of the Annual Conclave were read and declared approved.

4 Reports of the committees on the petitions of
 Corp. Francis Henry Byrne,
 Corp. John Alfred Collicott,
 Corp. John Frothingham Perkins,
 Corp. George Brinall Smith,
 were received and ballots taken, which,

in each case, were clear and they were severally declared to be elected to receive the Order of Knighthood in Boston Commandery, N. D.

5 Petition for the Order of Knighthood was received from:

Comp. Charles Francis Howes, a member of Mount Olivet Lodge and Cambridge Chapter of Cambridge; recommended and vouched for by Sir Roy Atton Faye and Sir Enoch Beane.

Committee: Sir Clarence M. Howitt, Sir Frank P. Rhoades and Sir John H. Loughbrow.

6 An application for Membership was received from:

Sir Frank Sanders Brown,
 a member of Granite Lodge No. 65, Salmon Falls; Edwards Chapter No. 21, Somersworth; and St. Paul's Commandery, No. 5, of Dover, all of New Hampshire.

Recommended by E. Sir J. Gilman Waite
 Committee: Sir Homer H. Colby; Sir Eben H. Bailey
 Sir Cyrus P. Austin.

7 The Recorder announced that he had

received, from the office of the Grand Recorder, Official Circular No. 1, Series 1904-1905, also, General Orders No. 1, Series 1904-1905, from the latter of which it appeared, that the inspection of Boston Commandery No. 2, had been assigned to the Grand Generalissimo, E. Sir E. Bentley Young, of Boston, Mass.

8 The Commandery announced the following deaths:

Sir Thomas Clarke,	September 30 1904
Sir Enoch Paige,	October 24 1904
Sir William A. Hodges,	October 28 1904
Sir Orlando D. Perry	November 4 1904

and ordered that a page of the Records be inscribed to the memory of each.

9 The following Memorial was then read

In Memoriam

Eminent Sir James Humphrey Upham.

Born in Dorchester, Mass., September 25, 1820.

Died in Dorchester, Mass., September 24, 1904.

These simple dates mark the beginning and the end of the life of a man who has devoted the many years allotted to him to useful acts; deeds of unostentatious charity; and honorable living, - a noble record, worthy of imitation and emulation, and it is indeed fitting, that some record of his worth as the man, the citizen, and the Mason should have place in our archives.

Emr. Sir Upham was descended from an ancestry of which he was justly proud. For nearly three centuries its history is closely allied, and identified, with that part of Boston now known as Dorchester, but more particularly the part known as Upham's Corner.

On the paternal side, history records the services rendered by his ancestors to the Colonial government, in duties well performed and trusts faithfully administered.

It is recorded of his maternal ancestors, that when the cause of liberty called for men in its defence they will and nobly acted their part.

Eminent Sir Upham's education was gained in the schools of his immediate vicinity; partly in private, but principally in the public schools. He was graduated from the "town school," now the Edward Everett Grammar School

of the Dorchester District, at the age of fourteen years.

In later years, he became a member of the organization known as the "Old School Boys Association."

"For business reasons" he immediately entered the employ of his father, who was in trade on the spot which gave to the locality the name of "Upham's Corner," which it will, probably, always bear. At the age of twenty-two years, his services had become so valuable that he was admitted to an interest in the business, by his father, Amos Upham, under the firm name of A. and J. H. Upham, which subsequently became J. H. Upham and Brother, and, still later, J. H. Upham & Company, the style it now bears. As a business man, he was honest, upright and honorable in all his dealings.

Of the various organizations in his line of business, he was a member of the "New England Grocers' Association," "Fruit and Produce Exchange," and "Boston Chamber of Commerce."

In civil life, he took an active part in the affairs of the town, as is evidenced by the calls to positions of public trust to which he was chosen by his fellow citizens, such as, Sur-

voyor of Highways, Overseer of the Poor, (member of the School Committee, Assessor and Selectman. Of the latter board he became its chairman, and, prior to his death, he was said to be the last in the long list of names who had served the town in that capacity.

He also represented the town in the General Court for two successive years, and, when the town became merged in what is now a "greater Boston," for two years he represented his constituency in the Boston City Council.

In private life his services and sound judgment were often sought by friends in matters of personal interest to themselves. The best of the ability he possessed was freely given and any trust confided to his care was administered with scrupulous care and fidelity.

He received Masonic light in Union Lodge of Dorchester, being initiated May 29, 1855; passed June 26, 1855, and was raised a Master Mason on the same evening. He was admitted to membership on the 23^d of October, 1855. In 1858 he was elected Junior Warden of his Lodge and served as its Master in the years 1859-1860; in 1865 he became its Treasurer. At the time of his death he was its oldest liv-

ing Past Master, and for many years had officiated as its Chaplain. He received the Degree in the Capitular Rite in St. Andrew's R. A. Chapter, having been exalted May 4, 1859. In 1866, he, with a considerable number of zealous Masons of Dorchester, petitioned for a dispensation to form and open, in Dorchester, what is now St. Stephen's Royal Arch Chapter of Quincy, Mass. The Records of that Chapter show that he was nominated to be the M. E. High Priest under the dispensation. At the constitution of the Chapter, however, Comp. Wm. H. Hayward Past Eminent Commander, became its M. E. High Priest. Eminent Sir Upham withdrew from St. Andrew's Chapter, February 28, 1868, to become a Charter member of St. Stephen's Chap. and continued a member therein until that Chapter, by vote of its members, was permitted to remove to Quincy, when Sir Upham withdrew from St. Stephen's Chapter and was readmitted to St. Andrew's Chapter May 2, 1878.

The Records do not show that he was ever active in the work of the Capitular Rite. The Degree in the Cryptic Rite was conferred

upon him in Boston Council of Grand S. Masters, and he became a member of that body September 21, 1866.

He received the Order of Knighthood in Boston Commandery N. T., having been dubbed and created a Knight Templar, June 15, 1859, and the records show that he filled the office of Trust Guard, 1868-1869; Warden, 1869-1871; Junior Warden, 1871-1873; Senior Warden, 1873-1875; Captain General, 1875-1877; Eminent Commander, 1877-1879.

In 1883, he was chosen Prelate, and continued, by re-election, in that office until 1887; in 1896, he was again called to the office, the second period continuing until 1896, since which time he has held, by appointment, the office of Associate Prelate, and performed a liberal share of the work. As a ritualist, he took high rank both as to his correctness and the impressiveness of his lines.

During his active service in the Commandery, and until declining health prevented it, he was a constant participant and active promoter of its social events. No labor was a hardship when performed for Boston Commandery, which he has many times been heard to say, in later years,

was, next to his family, the thing dearest to his heart.

On his retirement from the command of his Commandery, he was at once elected and installed into office as Grand Treasurer of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island to which position of responsibility and trust he was annually re-elected for a period of two or three - five years, and we can all bear testimony to the fidelity and discretion with which he discharged every duty pertaining to the high office.

He was an honorary Member of Joseph Warren Commandery No. 1, of Roxbury, (Memphis Commandery No. 4, of Memphis, Tennessee; and St. John's Commandery No. 4, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania).

In the Scottish Rite he had received the several Grades from the 4th to the 32^d, inclusive.

Sir Upham was twice married. On the 19th June, 1845, he was married to Miss Mary Bird of Dorchester, a companion of his youth. To this union were born three children, but they were not destined to cheer the home, which their birth had brightened, for the parents were called to mourn their untimely death.

in youth, and the home was ever saddened by their loss.

On April 10, 1896, he was married to Mrs. Harriet Newell Chipman, who survived him.

As a neighbor and friend he was ever ready to cheer the feeble, whose path was rough and rugged; to aid the unfortunate; and to encourage the despairing to take heart again.

As a man of business, he was the type of the upright man.

As a citizen, he carried an unwavering rectitude of character into his every transaction with his fellow-man.

As a Mason, he was an exemplar of those precepts which for so many years he had impressively taught in both Lodge and Commandery.

These are some of the characteristics that have marked a well-rounded-out, a well-spent and honorable life of our beloved Frater. Sincerity and fair-dealing characterized it, and a firm belief in the Fatherhood of God, and the Brotherhood of Man was as a light by day and a fire by night to guide his every act and deed.

His friendship was firm and abiding.

Shams and hollow pretensions he could not endure.

As the morning of eternity was setting in, it was our privilege to see more of our Brother than had formerly been our custom, - and we were greatly impressed by the fortitude he displayed and by the Christian ^{spirit} with which he viewed the approaching of that change which must come to us all. His words were always those of resignation, only reserving to himself the hope that his strength and faculties might be spared to him so he should "die in the harness". He lived to enjoy the fruition of this hope. With faculties unimpaired, save by the lapse of time, he had well performed all the duties assigned to him when he was called to pass down into the valley of the shadow of death. Sustained by an unflinching trust, he entered into that dreamless sleep, drawing aside "the curtain which separated the seen from the unseen, the known from the unknown, and stepping behind its mysterious folds, fell asleep in the arms of his Creator

"His Epitaph: A Mason, true and good,
Sincere in friendship, ready in relief,
Discreet in trusts, faithful in Brotherhood
Gentle in sympathy, and kind in grief."

James M. Glessow,
Leonard P. Nichols, Committee
J. Gilman Waite.

Voted: That the Memorial be received and spread upon the Records.

- 10 Sir Charles E. Price, Em. Grand Master, having been admitted, announced the presence of Sir Dana J. Flanders, P. E. Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island; that he was present for the purpose of making a fraternal visit to the Commandery. Em. Sir Atwood expressed the pleasure it gave him to welcome the P. E. Grand Commander within the Asylum of Boston Commandery and requested the Em. Grand Master to convey his knightly greetings to P. E. Sir Knight Flanders and inform him, that he would, at once, be waited upon by a committee.
- The Commandery appointed a com.

mitter, consisting of all Past E. Commanders who were present, with Sir Knight Gen. Calissino as chairman, to retire and escort the R. E. Grand Commander into the Assembly. when he was received in accordance with the tactics and escorted to the East under an Arch of Steel.

- 11 On motion it was Voted: That the conveyance of the estate 136 Harvard Street, Everett, Massachusetts, by Richard A. Atwood, James D. Romulus, John S. Daurill, Robert A. Rhoades, and Thomas F. Temple, as they are Trustees of the Permanent Fund of Boston Commandery, to Robert E. Duffum of Somerville, in the County of Middlesex, by deed dated November 15, 1904, be and is hereby ratified, approved and confirmed.

- 12 C. Sir Rinaldo O. Richardson, as Chairman of the Committee on California Pilgrimage submitted the following Supplementary Report:

In Boston Commandery A. T.
November 16, 1904.

Sir Knights:

At the Annual meeting of

the Commandery held October 19, 1904, was read a report of the Committee on the California Pilgrimage. Since that time your Committee have been able to save \$90.55, which added to \$610.89 already paid to the Treasurer of the Commandery, makes a total of \$701.44 and all deposits have been returned in full.

Accompanying this report is a check made payable to the Commandery, for the said \$90.55.

Cautiously Submitted
- Signed - Rinaldo O. Richardson,
For the Committee

Voted: That the report be received and read upon the Records, and, that the check be received by the Commandery.

- 13 A letter from Sir James P. Richardson, expressing his thanks for flowers sent in remembrance of his seventy-fifth birthday, Sunday November 13, inst. was read by the Recorder.

- 14 At eight o'clock and forty minutes, the business of the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was opened for the re.

ception of candidates, and
 Comp. Austin Clarence Drake,
 Comp. Francis Henry Dyne,
 Comp. John Alfred Collicott,
 Comp. John Frothingham Perkins,
 Comp. George Prudhall Smith.

were created and constituted Companions of
 the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross,
 in due form and with full ceremony.

15 At ten o'clock and thirty minutes business was
 resumed in the Commandery, the pur-
 poses for which the Council of the Red Cross
 was opened having been accomplished.

16 The R. E. Grand Commander was then invited
 to assume the East, and, on doing so, an-
 nounced his purpose of installing Sir Geo.
 George L. Perin D. D. Em. Grand Prelate of
 the Grand Commandery, and, since he
 had not been installed as Prelate of his
 own Commandery, the installation should
 stand for both.

Em. Sir George H. Bishop, Past Commander of
 of Athol Commandery was also present
 and installed Em. Grand Lecturer of the
 Grand Commandery and proclamation of

the same duly made.

1- The R. E. Grand Commander then resigned
 the East to the Eminent Commander with
 the usual exchange of councils, and
 the Commandery was closed in due
 form, at ten o'clock and fifty-five
 minutes.

The lines were then formed and the Sir
 Knights repaired to the Banquet-Hall.

Sir Knights in uniform 37.

Visitors

among whom were E. Sir Charles E. Hall,
 Commander of St. Owen Commandery;
 E. Sir William Robinson, E. Sir Frank B.
 Spring, Past Commander of Palestine
 and Joseph W. Warren Commanderies respect-
 ively.

A true record.

Attest: J. Gilman Waite
 Recorder

Summary - November 1904

1 Officers present	1
2 Past Commanders present	2
3 Records	"
4 4 elected to receive the Obedience	"
5 1 Petition	3
6 1 application for Membership	"
7 Official Circulars to 1 General Order, No. 1, 1904-5	"
8 4 deaths announced	4
9 Memorial to Em. Sir James R. Upham	"
10 R.E. Dana J. Standen received	13
11 Conveyance of real estate in Everett ratified	14
12 Supplementary report on California pilgrimage	"
13 Letter of Thanks from Sir James P. Richardson	15
14 Council of the Red Cross opened; 5 candidates	"
15 Business of the Commandery resumed	16
16 Installation of Grand Prior and Grand Lecturer	"
17 Commandery closed at 10.55 P.M.	17
Memorial Page Sir Thomas Clarke	20
" " " Enoch Paige	21
" " " William A. Hodges	22
" " " Orlando D. Perry	23
Funeral " " " "	19

The funeral of Sir Orlando Dighton Perry was held at his late residence, No. 340 Highland Avenue, Somerville on Sunday, November 6, the Templar Burial Service, in accordance with his wish, being rendered by the officers of Boston Commandery K.T.

(Present)

Sir Richard A. Atwood	O. Commander
Sir James S. Blake	Generalissimo
Sir Francis H. Appleton	as Prior
E. Sir J. Gilman White	Recorder
Sir Joseph T. Paul	First Guard
Sir Charles W. Ward	"
Sir Edwin Riggs	as
Sir Geo. W. Cooper	"
Jesse E. Ames	Senior Warden
Leonard N. Rose	Junior Warden
J. Fred Sampson	Armour
Edw. F. Jacobs	Sentinel
Joseph T. Dyer, Henry Samuel, Geo. R. Farnell,	
W. Wallace Frost, Thos. J. Phelps, W. F. Cockle,	
And C. G. Gaver	Warden
Edgar F. Hunt	Sword Bearer

The Commandery was opened at 12 o'clock M. and closed 2-30 o'clock P.M.
 Wm. J. Gilman White
 Recorder

In Memoriam

Sir Thomas Clarke

Born in Lanfear, No. Wales, March 21, 1863

Raised a Master Mason in Revue Lodge,
Boston, Mass., December 3, 1895.Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrews
Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, January 6, 1897.Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
April 21, 1897Admitted to Membership,
April 21, 1897.Died at Salem, Mass.,
Friday September 30
1904

In Memoriam

Sir Enoch Paige

Born in Deering, N. H., February 24, 1811

Raised a Master Mason in St. Paul's Lodge
South Boston, Mass., November 2, 1847.Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Paul's
Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, April 10, 1860.Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
May 30, 1860.Admitted to Membership
September 19, 1860Died in Boston, Mass.,
Monday, October 24,
1904.

In Memoriam!

Sir William A. Hodges,

Born in Petersham, Mass., May 15, 1834.

Raised a Master Mason in Rural Lodge,
Quincy, Mass., November 8, 1866

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Stephen's,
Royal Arch Chapter, Dorchester, January 6, 1874

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar,
April 15, 1874

Admitted to Membership
June 17, 1874

Died at Quincy, Mass.
Friday October 28, 1904

a Life Member

In Memoriam

Sir Orlando Dighton Perry

Born in Chester, Vt., May 8, 1846

Raised a Master Mason in St. John's Lodge,
No. 41, Springfield, Vt., August 5, 1885

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Paul's
Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, June 16, 1896.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
December 16, 1896.

Admitted to Membership,
December 16, 1896.

Died at Somerville, Mass.
Friday November 4,
1904.

a Life Member.

City of Boston Commandery, K. T.

Masonic Temple, Boylston Street.

Boston, Sunday, November 27, 1901.

Special Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in the Armory at twelve o'clock and fifty-five minutes P. M.

Officers present

E. Sir Richard A. Alwood

Commander
Generalissimo
Captain General

Sir James S. Blake
Sir Rev. George L. Perin D. D.

Orator
Treasurer

Sir W. Wallace Frost.

as Recorder

" Senior Warden

" Junior Warden

8 Sir Francis H. Appleton

Third Guard

Second Guard

First Guard

Guard

Sir George S. Foster

Sir Edward C. Hatch

Sir Edgar F. Hunt

Sir Fredk. G. Davis.

Sword Bearer

Warden

Sir J. Fredk. Sampson

Armored
Musical Director
Sentinel

Sir Edward F. Jacobs

Sir Knights in Regalia:

Charles R. Russell

Arthur F. Teal.

Charles S. Keutter.

D. A. McDonald

Wm. E. Milk

Sir R. Farwell.

G. L. K. Stephenson.

A. M. D. Clute

Henry Samuels

E. W. Gilbert

A. F. Bechtel

and Sir Knights:

Joseph J. Hewes.

James P. Richardson.

Geo. W. Stone.

Edwin Prescott

Call
Bearers

Sir Knights not in Regalia

Joseph Williams

Chas. L. Purcell

Geo. E. Shattow

Wilbur E. Davison

Fredk. W. Damon

Geo. W. Gale

The Grand Master announced that the Special Conclave had been called to attend the funeral of Sir Knight Joseph Wood Whitaker, at the Congregational Church in Arlington, at two o'clock P. M. The lines were formed and Special Car taken, at one o'clock, for Arlington.

The body, under escort of the pall-bearers, was received at the Church.

After an eloquent tribute, paid to the memory of the deceased, by the pastor of the Church, Rev. S. C. Bushnell, the Temp. Plan Burial-service was rendered by the officers of the Commandery.

At the close of the service the remains were received, and escorted ^{past} to the Cemetery, after which the Sir Knights were entertained at a lunch by the members of the Masonic Fraternity at Arlington in its apartments.

Returning to Boston, by Special car, the Commandery was closed at four o'clock and forty-five minutes P. M.

a true record,
attest:

J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

Asylum of Boston Commandery, K. T.

Masonic Temple, Boylston Street,

Boston, Wednesday, December 21,
1904.

Stated - Conclave.

A. Commandery of Knights Templar was opened in Due Form at six o'clock, P. M.

Officers present:

E. Sir Richard A. Alwood,	Commander
Sir Charles J. Danrell,	Generalissimo
_____	Captain General
Sir Geo. L. Verrill, D. D.	Orator
Sir Jesse E. Ames,	Senior Warden
Sir Leonard W. Ross,	Junior Warden
Sir James D. Robinson	Treasurer
_____	Recorder
Sir Frederick C. Shaver	Warden
_____	Third Guard
Sir Francis Appleton	Second Guard
Sir Joseph T. Paul,	First Guard
Sir George S. Foster	Guard
Sir Edward A. Hatch	"
Sir Dudley Hayward	"

Grand

Sir John A. Bell,

Standard Bearer
Sword Bearer

Sir J. Frederick Sampson,

Organist

Sir Thomas M. Coker,

Sir Edward M. Bailey,

Organist

Sir Edward F. Jacobs

Sexton

E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield substituted
 Captain General, Sir Herbert A. Prader
 as Recorder, and Sir Augustus Ridgway
 as Sword Bearer

2 Past Emigrant Commanders present.

E. Sir Frederick J. Coker,

E. Sir James M. Coker,

E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield,

E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield,

E. Sir Eugene A. Holton.

The records of the last Stated Communion, and the
 Special Communion of November 27, were
 read and approved

3 Report of the committee on the petition of

Comp. Charles Francis Howe
 was received, and a ballot taken, which
 proved to be clear, and he was declared
 to be elected to receive the Order of Knight-
 hood in Boston Commandery, R. S.

5 Report of the committee on the application
 of Sir Frank Seiders Brown
 for membership, in Boston Commandery, R.
 S., was received, a ballot was taken,
 which proved to be clear, and he was
 declared to be elected to membership
 and, subsequently, signed the By-Laws

6 Petitions for the Order of Knighthood were
 received from

Comp. Mack (pole) Campbell,
 a Member of Joseph Harris Lodge, and
 St. Andrews R. A. Chapter of Boston.
 Recommended and touched for by Sir Jo.
 seph S. Dyer, and E. Sir R. P. Richardson
 Committee: E. Sir Eugene A. Holton; Sir
 Frederick C. Coker, Sir Henry H. Litchfield.

Comp. William Edmund Reed,
 a Member of St. Andrews Lodge and Winthrop
 R. A. Chapter of Winthrop Mass.
 Recommended and touched for by Sir

Francis H. Appleton; and Sir Fred. H. M. Laughlin.
 Committee; Sir Horace B. Plummer; Sir Charles A. Gault; Sir Joseph G. Moore.

1 Christmas Greetings from St. John's (Commandery No. 1, of Woodstock); St. John's Commandery No. 40, of North Adams and the Knights Templar Association of Taunton were received - to which, it was voted; That the Recorder be instructed to make suitable response.

8 The following deaths were announced:
 Sir Joseph Wood Whitaker, Nov. 23, 1900.
 Sir Harry Harlock Vaughn, Dec. 19, 1904.
 and memorial pages were ordered to be inscribed on our Records to the memory of each.

9 Letters, acknowledging the receipt of flowers, with thanks of the recipient, were read from Sir Joseph J. Givens, and from the families of Sir Enogh Gaise, Sir Wm. A. Hodges, and Sir Joseph H. Whitaker.

10 The E. Commander announced the arrivals of Sir Alexander P. Kelly, and Sir Samuel L. Holt; that Sir Robert F. Ford was in the

room, while there was little, if any, improvement to be reported in the cases of Sirs H. H. C. Votie, and Samuel M. Hane.

11 On motion, it was Voted: That the thanks of the Commandery be, and hereby are, extended to the Masonic Fraternity of Arlington for courtesies shown Boston Commandery on the occasion of the funeral of our late Sir Knight Joseph H. Whitaker.

12 On motion it was Voted: That the Council be authorized to expend such sum, as in their judgment is necessary, for the assistance of the widow of our late Sir Knight Harry H. Vaughn.

13 A motion: That One hundred Dollars be appropriated for a Christmas offering to Empt. Sir L. Francis Lott's was, upon vote of the Commandery, decided to be not adopted.

14 At eight o'clock and twenty minutes, the business of the Council being concluded, the Order of the Temple was conferred in Due Form, and with full ceremony

and Comp Austin Clarence Drake,
 Comp Francis Henry Byrne,
 Comp John Alfred Collicott,
 Comp John Frothingham Perkins,
 Comp George Quintall Smith,
 were Dubbed and Created Knights of the
 Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the
 Temple, Knights Templars.

15 The Order of Knights of Malta was then
 conferred in Short Form, by E. Sir Charles
 J. Litchfield, and

Sir Austin Clarence Drake.

Sir Francis Henry Byrne.

Sir John Alfred Collicott.

Sir John Frothingham Perkins,

Sir George Quintall Smith

were Dubbed and Created Knights of
 Malta after which they repaired to the
 Recorder's Desk, signed the By-Laws,
 received a copy of the same, and, sub-
 sequently, their Diplomas by mail

16 At nine o'clock and fifty minutes, no fur-
 ther business, appearing, the Comman-
 dery was closed (in Due Form,
 after which, the lines were formed
 and the Sir Knights proceeded to the

August Hall.

Sir Knights, in uniform 35
 " " , visitors 50

Among the visitors were:

E. Sir M. L. Histon Jr, Old Colony Commandery
 E. Sir Charles E. Hull Sr. Comdr "
 Past E. Sir Fred. H. Spring, Joseph Warren "

The foregoing record is made from notes
 taken by Sir Robert A. Phoades

A true record:

Attest: J. Simon Waite.
 Recorder.

- 17 The funeral of Sir Harry H. Vaughan was held at his late residence, 839 Beacon, St. Boston, on Thursday, December 22, 1904, and was attended by the following Sir Knights, representing the Conjurandery:

E. Sir Richard A. Alwood,
E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield
Sir William D. Rand,
Sir James Dean.

- 18 The funeral of Sir Alexander Keller was held at his late residence, No. 3 Clinton St. Cambridge, on Thursday, January 12, at two o'clock P.M. and was attended by the following Sir Knights of Boston Conjurandery:

Sir Edgar F. Hunt,
Sir Charles L. Russell,
Sir Enoch Beane,
Sir Herman Burr,
Sir J. Augustine Wade,
Sir Charles H. Danforth,
Sir Horace D. Litchfield.

In Memoriam.

Sir Joseph Wood Whitaker

Com at Hopkinton, Mass. September 5, 1829

Raised a Master Mason in Putnam Lodge
E. Cambridge (Mass.), September 28, 1863

Evalled a Royal Arch Mason in Minotony
R. A. Chapter, Arlington, April 24, 1873

Created and Dubbed a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Conjurandery of Knights Templars
October 16, 1882.

Admitted to Membership,
October 16, 1882.

Died at Arlington, Mass.,
Tuesday, November 23,
1904.

A. Life Member

In Memoriam

Sir Harry Havelock Vaughan

Com. in Grand Pri; Nova Scotia, Dec. 14, 1861

Raised a Master Mason in Union Lodge
Dorchester, Mass., November 8, 1892

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Dorchester P.
A. Chapter, Dorchester, Mass. October 23, 1893.

Created and Dubbed a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
June 19, 1895

Admitted to Membership,
June 19, 1895.

Died at Waverly, Mass.
Monday, December 19,
1904

Summary - December 1904

1	Officers present	27
2	Past Eminent Commanders present	28
3	Records	"
4	Elected to receive the Orders	"
5	Elected to Membership	29
6	2 petitions for the Orders	"
7	Christmas greetings	30
8	2 deaths announced	"
9	Letters of acknowledgement	"
10	Announcement of illness	"
11	Thanks to Masonic Fraternity at Alhambra	31
12	Vote of assistance to Mrs. Harry H. Vaughan	"
13	Vote of Christmas Greeting to E. Sir Francis Fotts lost	"
14	Order of the Temple conferred on five	"
15	" " Matta " " "	32
16	Commandery closed at 9-50	"
17	Funeral of Sir Harry H. Vaughan	34
18	" " Sir Alexander Fellen	"
19	In Memoriam Joseph W. Mottaker	35
20	" " Harry H. Vaughan	36

Asylum of Boston Commandery, K. T.

Historic Temple, Boston Street.

Boston, Wednesday, January 18,
1905.

State & Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templars was
opened in the home at six thirty o'clock,
P.M.

Officers present.

E. Sir Richard A. Atwood	Commander
Sir Charles S. Danrell,	Grand Master
Sir James S. Blake,	Captain General
Sir Rev. George L. Davis, D.D.	Chancellor
Sir Jesse E. Ames,	Senior Warden
_____	Junior Warden
_____	Treasurer
_____	Recorder
E. Sir J. Silman Waite,	Standard Bearer
Sir John A. Bell,	Sword Bearer
Sir Edgar F. Hunt,	Warden
Sir Fredk. C. Graves,	Third Guard
_____	Second Guard
_____	First Guard
Sir Joseph D. Jones,	Guard
Sir George S. Foster	

Sir Edward O. Hatch,	Guard
Sir Fred. P. Hayward,	"
Sir Almond C. J. Pope	"
_____	"
_____	"
Sir Chas. M. Ward,	Armorer
Sir J. Frederick Sampson,	Musical Director
Sir Thomas M. Carter,	Organist
Sir Eben H. Bailey,	Drum
Sir Edward J. Jacobs,	

2. Past Eminent Commanders present.
E. Sir James M. Gleason,
E. Sir Eugene A. Holton,
E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield,
E. Sir Henry C. Litchfield,
E. Sir J. Ricman Waite
E. Sir Pimado P. Richardson.
3. The records of the last Stated Conclave
were read and approved.
4. Reports of the committee on the petitions of
Comp. Mark Poole Campbell,
Comp. William Reaman Reed
were received and ballots taken, which
proved to be clear, and they were de-
clared to be elected to receive the
orders of Knighthood in Boston Comman-
dery, K. T.

5 Petitions for the Order of Knighthood were received from:

Companion George Urban Bauer,
a member of Both-Noron Lodge of Brook-
line and St. Paul's Royal Arch Chapter
of Boston. Recommended and vouched
for by Sir Jesse E. Ames, and E. Sir Rich-
ard A. Wood
Committee; Sir Joseph F. Heald; Sir
Charles G. Johnson; Sir Albert Anderson

Comp. George Edwin Sawyer,
a member of St. Nicholas Lodge No. 321
of New York, and Samoset Royal Arch
Chapter of Plymouth. Recommended
and vouched for by E. Sir Ricardo
P. Richardson and Sir James D. Robinson
Committee; Sir Fred. H. Laughlin; Sir Hen-
ry D. Higgins; Sir Wm. E. Mill

6 The following communication was read:

Grand Commandery
of Knights Templars and
the Appendant Orders of
Massachusetts and Rhode Island.
Office of the Grand Commander
29 Clifton Street,
Malden, Mass

General Order,
Series 1904-1905,
No. 3.

To the Eminent Commanders, Officers and
Sir Knights under the jurisdiction of this Grand
Commandery.

- I. Pursuant to a vote of the Grand Commandery
at the Semi-Annual Conclave, May, 1904, and
the Annual Conclave, October, 1904, the Centen-
nial Anniversary of its institution will be
celebrated May 24, 1905, in Boston.
- II. A general ^{dispensation} is hereby issued to all the Comman-
deries within this jurisdiction to parade
in full Knights Templar uniform with
music and banners, within the jurisdic-
tion for this purpose.
- III. It is hoped, and expected that every Com-
mandery will parade with full ranks.
- IV. The general programme is to be, a short
parade, moving, at eleven o'clock A.M.
escorting the Grand Commandery, and its
guests to the Masonic Temple. A Special
Conclave of the Grand Commandery, at two
P.M., when historical and religious exer-
cises will be held; and a grand Ban-
quet at six P.M. Definite infor-

mation in reference to this programme will be furnished in due course.

V. In order to facilitate the necessary arrangements, Embarked Commanders are requested to report at the earliest moment, (1) if their Commandery will attend; (2) the probable number; (3) if with or without music, and if with music, its character; (4) the proposed time of arrival in Boston.

VI. It is directed that this Order be read at the head of each Commandery at the first stated Conclave after its receipt.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Grand Commandery, this 26th day of December, A.D. 1904, A.E. 186

(Seal)

Dana J. Sanders
Grand Commander

Attest:

B. H. Rowell
Grand Recorder

1 It was moved: That Boston Commandery parade on May 24, with music and banners.

2 A substitute motion was offered, which was discussed at considerable length and afterwards withdrawn.

The original motion was then put and declared to be carried unanimously.

8 On motion, Voted: That the tender of an escort to place in line of parade, on their arrival in Boston, May 24, be made by Boston Commandery to St. John's Commandery of Providence R.I. and New Bedford Commandery of New Bedford, Mass., with an invitation to participate with Boston Commandery in a Baugnet after the dismissal of the line of parade.

9 On motion, Voted: That the Council be a committee, with full powers to provide such music, as in its judgment the circumstances may require for the parade May 24.

10 On motion, Voted: That the matter of securing a place for the Baugnet, May 24, be referred to the Council with full powers.

11 On motion, Voted: That a committee of three

be appointed, to be known as the Committee on Paquet.

- Subsequently the following Sir Knights were appointed the committee: O. Sir Eugene A. Holton, Sir James D. Roumus, Sir Josiah T. Dyre.
- 12 The Recorder made a statement to the Commandery relative to the large amount of overdue and unpaid dues (and more): That final action be taken, at the next April Conclave, on all members who are delinquent in the payment of their Annual Dues: Voted.

- 13 A motion was offered: That a committee be appointed, of which the Council should be three, to consider the expediency of holding a Ladies' night, said committee to report to the Commandery, but upon a vote being taken, it was declared to be not carried.

- 14 The Eminent Commander reported the continued illness of Sir Samuel L. [unclear] and Sir William [unclear], also, that Sir Fredk. G. Story had been more recently reported.

- 15 Acknowledgement, with heartfelt grat.

itude for "kindness and sympathy" by Mrs. Nellie E. Vaughan was received and read.

- 16 The Eminent Commander announced the death of Sir Alexander P. Kelley, January 9, 1905, and ordered a page of the Records be inscribed to his memory.

- 17 The business of the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Red Cross opened for the reception of candidates, and

Comp. Charles Francis Bower,
Comp. Mack Pool Campson,
Comp. William Redman Reed,
were created and constituted Companions of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross in Due Form, and with full ceremony.

- 18 The purpose for which the Council of the Red Cross was opened, having been accomplished, the business of the Commandery was resumed.

- 19 In the foregoing record, the business, with the exception of the reading of the Records

and balloting on petition, was sanctioned
subsequent to the conferring of the Ill
ustrious Order of the Red Cross.

20 No further business appearing the Comman-
dery was closed in Due Form at nine
o'clock and fifty-five minutes and
the Sir Knights repaired to the Banquet-
Hall.

Sir Knights in uniform 40
Visitors 33

Among the visitors were:

E. Sir John C. of Atlanta, Ga. Grand
Sword Bearer of the Grand Encampment,
U. S. A. of the Grand Encampment, U. S. A.

R. E. Wm. J. Landau. P. E. Com. Maine.

E. Fred. H. Spring Past Com. Joseph Warren

E. Chas. A. E. Spring Wm. Parkman.

A true record.

attest: J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

In Memoriam

Sir Alexander P. Kelley

Born in Sidney, Maine, January 30, 1833.

Joined a Master Mason in Amicable Lodge,
Cambridge, Mass., April 2, 1868.

Enrolled a Royal Arch Mason in Cambridge
Royal Arch Chapter, Cambridge, March 8, 1872.

Dubbed, and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
May 21, 1873.

Admitted to Membership
June 18, 1873.

Died at Cambridge, Mass
Monday, January 9, 1905
a Life Member.

January - Summary 1905

1 Officers present	38
2 Past Eminent Commanders present	39
3 Records	"
4 Elected to receive the Order	"
5 2 petitions read	40
6 General Order No. 3 Series 1904 1905	"
7 Voted to parade May 24	42
8 Tender to Mr. Johns and Mr. Burroughs Commanders	43
9 Committee on Music May 24	"
10 " " Banquet Hall "	"
11 " " Banquet "	"
12 Voted to take action on delinquents	44
13 Voted to hold Ladies night. lost	"
14 Minutes of this	"
15 Acknowledgement	"
16 1 death reported	45
17 Council of Red Cross opened	"
18 3 candidates	"
19 Order of business	"
20 Closing	46
In Memoriam. Alex. P. Kelley	47

The funeral of Sir George L. Nichols was held in the Chapel of Mount Auburn Cemetery on Tuesday, January 24, 1905, at two o'clock P.M. and was attended by

E. Sir Richard A. Atwood
 Sir Edgar F. Hunt.
 Sir Charles L. Russell,
 Sir Edward E. Chick
 Sir Horace F. Blackman,
 Sir Horace D. Litchfield,
 Sir Loren W. Ferdinand,
 Sir Fred A. Snow,
 Sir Nicholas F. Bechtel

The funeral of Sir Samuel L. Holt was held at his late residence, 458 Massachusetts Avenue, Boston on Wednesday February 15, 1905, at two o'clock P.M. and was attended by

E. Sir Richard A. Atwood,
 Sir Rev. George L. Perin D.D.,
 Sir John H. Houghton,
 Sir Thomas J. Emery,
 Sir Chas. E. Partridge.

In Memoriam

Sir George Leonard Nicholls

Born in Boston, July 19, 1854

Raised a Master Mason in Mizpah Lodge
Cambridge, Mass., October 8, 1877.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Cambridge
Royal Arch Chapter, Cambridge, April 18, 1883.

Created and Dubbed a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
October 9, 1883.

Admitted to Membership.
October 9, 1883.

Died at Cambridge, Mass.
Sunday, January 22
1905

Weymouth of Boston Commandery N. F.
Masonic Temple, Copleston Street.

Boston, Wednesday, February 15,
1905.

Stated Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templars
was opened in Due Form at six thirty
o'clock P. M.

Officers present.

E. Sir Richard A. Atwood,	Commander
Sir Charles S. Danrell,	Generalissimo
Sir James S. Blake,	Captain General
Sir Rev. George L. Penn, D.D.	Prelate
Sir Jesse E. Ames,	Senior Warden
Sir Leonard W. Ross,	Junior Warden
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E. Sir J. Gilman Waite,	Treasurer
Sir John A. Bell,	Recorder
Sir Edgar F. Hunt,	Standard Bearer
Sir Frederick C. Graven,	Sword Bearer
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Sir Francis H. Appleton,	Warden
Sir Joseph F. Paul,	Third Guard
Sir George S. Foster,	Second Guard
Sir Edward O. Hatch,	First Guard
	Guard

Sir Fred. P. Hayward	Guard
Sir Alfred C. J. Pope	"
_____	"
_____	"
Sir Fredk. J. Sampson	Commodore
Sir Thomas M. Carter	Musical Director
Sir Edwin H. Bayley	Organist
Sir Edward F. Jacobs	Sentinel

- 2 Past Eminent Commanders present.
 E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield,
 E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield,
 E. Sir J. Silman Waite.
- 3 The records of the last Stated Conclave were read and approved.
- 4 Report of the committee on the application of
 Comp. George Urban Pauer,
 was received and a ballot taken, which proved to be clear and he was declared to be elected to receive the Vices of Knight hood in Boston Commandery No. 1.
- 5 In the matter of the petition of
 Comp. George Edwin Sawyer,
 the Eminent Commander stated

that, because of the question having arisen as to the Commandery's jurisdiction over the petitioner, no action would be had upon his petition.

Petitions for the Order were received from:

Comp. Frederick Soraal Orine
 a member of Adelpbi Lodge and St. Mat. thews Royal Arch Chapter of So. Boston
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir Geo. S. Foster and Sir Henry C. Kettle.
 Committee: Sir George W. Stone, Sir Oliver W. Spaulding, Sir Frank M. Shurtleff

Comp. Louis Arnold Curtis,
 a member of Abundant Lodge and St. Paul Royal Arch Chapter of Boston.
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir Herbert L. Kelley and Sir V. Ellwood Trace
 Committee: Sir Harry G. Howe, Sir Charles D. Wright, Sir Harry E. Wright

Comp. John Alden Gault,
 a member of Gate of the Temple Lodge and St. Matthew's Royal Arch Chapter, So. Boston
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir Horace C. Tinsenden and Sir Geo. S. Foster

Committee: Sir A. D. Freeman, Sir Elmer A. Rice,
Sir Edward H. Munsor.

Comp. Joseph Warren Hannes
a member of Winthrop Lodge and Winthrop
Chapter, of Winthrop, Mass. Recommended
and vouched for by Sir Symon Weston
and Sir D. A. McDonald.

Committee: Sir Francis H. Appleton, Sir John
Cross, Sir Herman L. Cuss.

Comp. Livius Hall Howe.
a member of Henry Price Lodge of Chelsetown
and Newbon Royal Arch Chapter of Newbon
Recommended and vouched for by Sir James
McGleason and Sir Fred. P. Hayward.
Committee: Sir Davis T. Keown, Sir Frank A.
Schirmer, Sir Frank H. Sherman.

Comp. George Talis Manson Jr.
a member of King Cyrus Lodge of Stoneham and
St. Andrew's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Gregory
E. Stone, and Sir Jesse E. Ames.
Committee: Sir Wm. C. Hewes, Sir Frank L.
Heimer, Sir Oscar K. Peave.

Comp. Isaac Buckingham Spafford
a member of St. John's Lodge and St.

Andrew's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Leonard
W. Ross, and Sir Walter L. Pongas.
Committee: Sir Wm. J. Heath, Sir Fred. P.
Hayward, Sir Frank S. Jones.

The following communications were read:

Newburyport Commandery.
No. 3
Knights Templars.

Newburyport, Mass., Feby. 3, 1905.
Sir J. Guinan Waite, Recorder,
Boston Commandery, N. F.
Boston, Mass.

Dear Frater:

At a regular conclave of Newbury-
port Commandery, N. F., it was unani-
mously voted to accept the con-
fereus invitation of Boston Comm-
dery to be their guest on May 24, 1905,
— and in addition the Eminent
Commander desires me to express his
pleasure and that of the Fraters of New-
buryport Commandery at the prospect
of a season of social intercourse
with the Sir Knights of St. John's
and Boston Commanderies whose

devotion, and early zeal in the cause of Templarism made possible the celebration which calls us together on that day

Courteously yours,



J. Douglass Holland
Recorder
Newburyport Commandery

8 Saint John's Commandery Tumbucine
Knights Templar

Providence, Rhode Island

February 1, 1905.

To the Eminent Commander, Officers,
and Sir Knights of Boston
Commandery of Knights Templar.
Boston, Mass.

Dear Fraters:

Your communication of January 19, 1905 tendering an escort to St. John's Commandery N. J. to place in line and an invitation to participate in a banquet after the dismissal of the parade on the day of the Centennial Celebration of the Grand Commandery

of Massachusetts and Rhode Island - in Boston, Massachusetts, on May 24th next, was duly received and by the unanimous vote of St. John's Commandery at its regular Conclave Monday evening, February 6th was accepted, and the Refordan was directed to advise you of its acceptance under seal of the Commandery, and to thank you for the knightly courtesy therein expressed, assuring you of our great appreciation of the same.



Courteously,

St. John's Commandery No. 1, N. J.
Franklin A. Smith
Recorder

9 Acknowledgement, with thanks, by Mrs. Alexander C. Kelly, of floral tributes sent on the occasion of her husband's funeral was read

10 The Eminent Commander announced the death of Sir George Leonard Nichols, January 22, 1905. Sir Samure Island Holt February 12, 1905 and ordered that a page of the Records be inscribed to the memory of each.

- 11 The Order of the Temple was then conferred
in Due Form, and with full ceremony,
and
Comp. Charles Francis Howes,
Comp. William Redman Reed,
were Dubbed and Created Knights of the
Valiant and Magnanimous Order of
the Temple, Knights Templars.

12. The Order of Malta was then conferred in
Short Form, and
Sir Charles Francis Howard,
Sir William Redman Reed,
were dubbed, and created knights of Malta
after which they signed the Oj-Kawr,
received a copy of the same, and their
Diplomas

- 14 The Commander was then closed in Due Form at nine o'clock ^{and} thirty-five Minutes and the Sir Knights repaired to the Gaugnet-Hall.

- 13 The Eminent Commande announced: That
Sir W. H. & Noble, on account of his con-
tinued illness, had requested to be re-
lieved from serving as Third Guard.
In consequence of the above request, the
Eminent Commande announced. the

Summary - February 1905

1 Officers present.	51
2 Past Commanders present.	52
3 Records.	"
4 1 elected.	1
5 1 no jurisdiction.	"
6 1 Petition for the Order.	53
7 Newby's support Commandery's acceptance	55
8 St. John's	56
9 acknowledgment: Mrs. Alex. P. Kelley	57
10 2 deaths announced	"
11 2 recd Order of the Temple	58
12 2 " " Matra	"
13 Appointment of Guards	"
14 Closing	"
In Memoriam Geo. L. Nichols	50
" " Saml. L. Holt	61
Funeral of Sir George L. Nichols	49
" " Wm. H. Williams	63
" " Walter Russell	64

In Memoriam.

Sir Samuel Land Holt.

Born in Bethel, Maine, September 5, 1837

Joined a Master Mason in St. John's Lodge
Boston, January 6, 1890

Expelled a Royal Arch Mason in St. Paul's
Royal Arch Chapter Boston. April 19, 1892

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
June 19, 1901.

Admitted to Membership.
June 19, 1901.

Died at Boston Mass.
Sunday February 12,
1905

Asylum of Boston Commandery A.T.

Masonic Temple, Boylston Street.

Boston, Saturday, March 4,
1905.

Special Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templar was opened, in Due Form at one o'clock and five minutes, P.M. with the following Organization:

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|------------------------------|--------------------|
| E. Sir Richard A. Alwood, | Commander |
| Sir Thomas M. Carter, | as Generalissimo |
| Sir John A. Bell, | as Captain General |
| Sir Francis H. Appleton, Jr. | Prelate |
| Sir Leonard H. Ross | Senior Warden |
| Sir A. C. J. Pope, | as Junior Warden |
| Sir Edgar F. Hunt | Treasurer |
| Sir Joseph T. Paul, | Recorder |
| Sir George S. Foster, | Standard Bearer |
| Sir Levi L. Rowe, | Sword Bearer |
| Sir D. A. McDonald, | Warden |
| | Third Guard |
| | Second Guard |
| | First Guard |
| | Guard |

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| Sir Walter W. Boyden, | Guard |
| Sir Alexander M. D. Clute, | " |
| Sir J. Fredk. Sampson | Armorer |
| Sir Edward F. Jacobs | Sentinel |
| Sir Knights in uniform | |
| Sir Wm H. Gullett | |
| Sir Henry C. Cottle | |
| Sir Melton E. Davison | |
| Sir George R. Farrell | |
| Sir Edward M. Fielding | |
| Sir Wm H. Guley | |
| Sir Charles E. Johnson | |
| Sir Thomas J. Phelps | |
| Sir Allan C. Prescott | |
| Sir James C. Richardson | |
| Not in uniform | |
| Sir Henry M. Rowe | |
| Sir Thor O. Kinsaid | |
| Sir Paul C. Klein | |
| Sir Wm O. Creamer | |

The Eminent Commander stated, that the Special Conclave, had been called for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Sir Knight William Henry Williams, - this being in accordance with his expressed wish, - the funeral to be held in the Chapel at Forest Hills Cemetery.

Special Car was taken for Forest Hills at one o'clock and fifteen minutes. Car which was met by a barge at the cemetery.

The Templar burial service was rendered by the officers, and Sir Knights, when their return to the Temple was made by the same conveyance as above stated and the Commandery closed at three o'clock and thirty minutes P.M.

Attest: J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

Lunch was served.

The funeral of Sir Walter Russell was held at his last residence, 29 Gaittett Ave., Arlington, Mass., on Tuesday February 21, 1905 and the Commandery was represented by the following Sir Sir Knights

Sir Charles L. Russell,
Sir James Richardson,
Sir John Mackie,
Sir Charles C. Purcell.

Sir Frank W. Damon
Geo. D. Stutton and Chas. J. Desreux

Asylum of Boston Commandery, K.T.

Masonic Temple, Boylston Street,

Boston, Wednesday, March 15,
1905.

Stated Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templar was opened in Due Form at six o'clock and thirty minutes P.M.

Officers present.

E. Sir Richard A. Alwood.	Commander
Sir Charles S. Damrell.	Generalissimo
Sir James S. Blake.	Captain General
Sir Rev. George L. Davis, D.D.	Precentor
Sir Jesse E. Ames	Senior Warden
Sir Leonard W. Ross.	Junior Warden
Sir James D. Romine.	Treasurer
E. Sir J. Gilman Waite	Recorder
Sir John A. Bell.	Standard Bearer
Sir Edgar F. Hunt	Sword Bearer
Sir Frank C. Graves.	Ward
Sir Francis M. Appleton	Third Guard
Sir Joseph T. Paul.	Second Guard
— — — — —	First Guard
Sir Geo. S. Foster	Guard
Sir Edward O. Hatch.	Guard

Sir Fred C. Hayward

Guard

Sir J. Frederick Sampson,
Sir Thomas M. Carter,
Sir Eben H. Bailey,
Sir Edward T. Jacobs,

Armed
Masonic Degrees
Against
Sovereignty

- 2 Past Eminent Commanders present
E. Sir Frederick T. Comer,
E. Sir James M. Gleason,
E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield,
E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield,
E. Sir J. Gilman Waite.
- 3 The records of the last Stated Conclave,
and the Special Conclave March 4,
were read and approved.

- 4 Reports of the committees on the petitions of
Comp. Frederick Sora Prime,
Comp. John Alden Gault,
Comp. Joseph Warren Haines,
Comp. George Wale Manson Jr.
Comp. Isaac Buckingham Spafford.

were received, and ballots taken which
proved to be clear, and they were de-

clared to be elected to receive the Order of
Knighthood in Boston Commandery, K. T.

- 5 Report of the committee on the petition of
Comp. Louis Arnold Curtis.

was received, and a ballot taken which
proved to be not clear, and his petition
was declared to be rejected.

- 6 Petitions for the Order of Knighthood
were received from

Comp. Max Henry Heim,
a member of Gate of the Temple Lodge,
and St. Matthew R. A. Chapter of So.
Boston. Recommended and Vouch-
ed for by Sir Walter W. Joyden and
Sir George S. Foster.
Committee: Sir George E. Henry; Sir J. T. Dyer
and Sir Henry C. Cotton.

Comp. William James Hunt,
a member of Mount Hermon Lodge and
Mystic R. A. Chapter of Medford.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir
Amelia A. Launier and Sir Robert C. Carpenter.
Committee: Sir Gilbert Hoag.

Sir Elmer M. Smith: Sir Wm. H. Woodberry

Comp. Andrew Francis Jones.
A member of Union Lodge and Dorchester
Royal Arch Chapter of Dorchester
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Wm.
D. Rand and Sir Richard A. Atwood.
Committee: Sir Fred. P. Hayward; Sir Chas.
W. Ward; Sir Herbert L. Kelley.

Comp. William Adolph Low.
A member of St. John's Lodge and St.
Paul's Royal Arch Chapter, Boston
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Wm.
S. Heath and Sir James S. Blake.
Committee: Sir Horace P. Blackman; Sir
Wm. L. Baker; Sir Caleb S. Haley.

Comp. Everett Warren Munro.
A member of Mt. Lebanon Lodge and
St. Andrews Royal Arch Chapter, Boston
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Abrah
M. Thompson and Sir Richard A. Atwood.
Committee: Sir Fred. W. Abbott; Sir W. Alf.
ton Jones and Sir Mauchester E. Pearce

Comp. Charles Thruher Rawson
A member of St. John's Lodge, Boston, and Dor.
chester R. A. Chapter of Dorchester.

Recommended and vouched for by Sir Jesse E.
Armes, and Sir James S. Blake
Committee: Sir Wm. S. Heath; Sir Charles A.
Watts; Sir Thomas J. Emery.

Comp. William Wright Rogers
A member of Abundant Lodge and St. Paul's
Royal Arch Chapter of Boston
Recommended and vouched for by Sir V.
Ellwood Trapp and Sir Charles E. Parmelee
Committee: Sir Will A. Murtfeldt; Sir Frank
J. Norvell; Sir Charles E. Carlton

Comp. Benj. Ezra Wood
A member of Abundant Lodge and St.
Paul's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston
Recommended and vouched for by
Sir V. Ellwood Trapp and Sir Chas. E. Parmelee
Committee: Sir Joseph T. Paul; Sir Frank
E. Piper; and Sir Otis H. Marion.

A request, from Bay State Commandery
of Brockton, for a release of jurisdiction
over Comp. Wm. A. Sweetser was read,
and, on motion, the request was granted

Amendment.
The following amendment to the
By-Laws was proposed:

Substitute for Sect. 8, of Article IX, the following:

Sect. 8. Dues for "Annual Dues" shall be paid with the notice of the Stated Conclave next succeeding the Annual Conclave, viz each year, and shall be due and payable on, or before, the date of the next Annual Conclave.

Newly admitted members shall pay a proportionate ^{part} of the Annual dues from the date of signing the By. Laws until the next annual Conclave.

Any member whose dues, or assessments, are not paid on, or before, the first day of January, next succeeding their membership, shall be deemed a delinquent under the By. Laws and may, by direction of the "Standing Committee on Finance" be proceeded against for non-payment of dues in the manner prescribed by the Grand Com. mandery. - Two months notice of the time when, and the place where, action will be taken in this case being first given by the Recorder to said delinquent. Notice mailed to the last known address shall suffice. When the residence is unknown, the notice may be omitted.

Subsequently, the proposed amendment was referred to a committee consisting of,

E. Eli James (M. Gleason),
Sir Herbert A. Rhoades,
Sir John H. North.

- 9 Letters, expressing the thanks of the families of Sir George L. Nichols, and Sir Walter Russell, for floral tributes sent on the occasion of the funerals of those Sir Knights were read.
- 10 The Eminent Commander announced the death of -
Sir Walter Russell February 21, 1905
Sir William H. Williams March 1, 1905
and ordered that a page of the Records be inscribed to their memory.
- 11 At seven o'clock and forty minutes the business of the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened for the reception of candidates and

Comp. George Urban Bauer
Comp. Frederick Sora Prime,
Comp. John Alden Gault.

Comp. Joseph Mann James
Comp. Isaac Buckingham Spafford.

were created and constituted Companions of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross in Due Form and with full ceremony.

12 At nine o'clock and thirty minutes, the purpose for which the Council of the Red Cross was opened having been accomplished, the Council was closed and the business of the Commandery resumed.

13 At nine o'clock and forty minutes the Commandery was closed in Due Form and the Sir Knights repaired to the Parquet Hall.

Sir Knights in uniform 38
" " visitors 49

A true record.

Attest:

J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

In Memoriam
Sir Walter Russell.

Born in Charlestown, Mass., September 10, 1831.

Raised a Master Mason in Grand Lodge
Arlington, Mass., March 19, 1868

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Monksbury
Royal Arch Chapter, Arlington June 2, 1868

Created and Dubbed a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
May 21, 1873.

Admitted to Membership,
June 18, 1873.

Died at Arlington, Mass.
Tuesday February 21
1905

a Life Member.

In Memoriam

Sir William Henry Williams

Born at Pembroke Dock, So. Wales, Eng June 2, 1847.

Raised a Master Mason in Joseph Webb Lodge, Porton, June 4, 1882.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Mt. Vernon Royal Arch Chapter, Porton, June 1, 1893.

Created and Dubbed a Knight of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, a Knight-Templar, in Porton Commandery of Knights Templar, June 20, 1894.

Admitted to Membership.
June 20, 1894.

Died at Newton, Mass.,
Wednesday, March 1, 1905.

a. Life Member.

Summary - March 1905

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1 Asylum of Boston Commandery L. T.
Masonic Temple Doyleston St.

Boston, Saturday April 8
1905

Special Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was
opened in the Arctery at one o'clock
and five minutes P.M. with the fol-
lowing organization:

E. Sir Richard A. Atwood,	Commander
Sir John A. Bell,	as Generalissimo
Sir James S. Blake,	Captain General
Sir Francis H. Appleton,	as Orator
<u>Sir J. Arthur Jacobs,</u>	<u>Treasurer</u>
<u>Sir Leonard W. Rose,</u>	<u>Recorder</u>
Sir Walter W. Boyden,	Senior Warden
Sir George R. Fawcett,	Junior Warden
Sir D. A. McDonald,	Guard
Sir Otis W. Greeley,	"
Sir Henry F. Pearce,	"
Sir H. H. Stocker,	"
Sir Frank S. Sumpster,	Comm.

Sir Edward F. Jacobs Sentinel

Sir John S. Drayton,
Sir Rufus Holman,
Sir Charles O. Burdick,
Sir James O. Richardson,
Sir Charles H. Marks,
Sir John McLean,
Sir Morace P. Blackman,
Sir Henry M. Rowe,
Sir Charles E. Parmelee,
Sir Wm. H. Badler,
Sir Allan C. Prescott,
Sir Wilbur E. Davison,
Sir A. F. Bechtel.

The Eminent Commander announced,
that the Special Conclave had been called
for the purpose of attending the funeral
of our late Sir Knight John Storn
Jacobs, and giving the last Rite
of the Order in accordance with
his wish, at Forest Hills Cemetery
at one o'clock, and fifteen minutes. A
Special car was taken for Forest Hills.
At the close of the service, the lines
were formed, the remains taken in
charge, and, with the friends of
the deceased, escorted to their

final resting-place in the cemetery.
The Commandery then returned to
the Temple by its special car and
was closed in due form.

A true record.

Attest: J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

Asylum of Boston Commandery, A. O.
Masonic Temple, Boylston Street.

Saturday, April 15,
1905

Special Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templar was
opened, in Due Form, at one o'clock
and five minutes, with the following
organization.

Sir Charles J. Danrell,	as Commander
Sir John A. Bell,	as Generalissimo
Sir James S. Plater,	Captain General
Sir Rev. George L. Perin D.D.	Proctor
Sir Jesse E. Ames	Senior Warden
Sir Francis H. Appleton	as Junior Warden
	Treasurer
Sir Oscar F. Allen	as Recorder
	Standard Bearer
Sir Edgar F. Hunt	Sword Bearer
Sir Frank C. Grays	Warden
Sir George S. Foster	Guard
Sir Horace P. Blackman	as
Sir Henry Jamieson	
Sir D. H. McDonald	

Sir Charles S. Johnson as Guard
 Sir William M. Stocker
 Sir Thomas M. Carter Musical Director
 Sir J. Frederick Sampson Organist
 Sir Edw. F. Jacobs Sexton

Sir Rufus Holman, Sir Geo R. Fawcett,
 Sir James R. Richardson, Sir James P. ...
 Sir Charles E. Owen, Sir N. F. Beckett,
 Sir E. Westman Hatch, Sir Wm W. Balfour,
 Sir Walter W. Boyden, Sir Walter L. Toppin,
 Sir Charles E. Parnell, Sir Wm W. Griffiths,
 Sir Chris W. Guley, Sir Oscar H. Pearce,
 Sir Robt. G. Tobyn, Sir Henry F. ...
 Sir T. McLaughlin, Sir John Holmstrom
 Sir A. McD. Clute, Sir Wilbur E. Davison,
 Sir Allan C. Prescott.

Sir Knight Daurill, Generalissimo,
 as Acting Commandant, announced
 that the Special Conclave had been
 called for the purpose of attending the
 funeral of our late Sir Knight Wil-
 liam Edwin Milk, at his late
 home, 59 Esmond St. Dorchester.
 The lines were formed and a Special
 car taken for Dorchester at one
 o'clock and fifteen minutes.

At the conclusion of the service, the lines
 were formed, the remains received and
 escorted a short distance on their way
 towards "Forest Hills", their final rest-
 ing-place; when the Commandery was
 formed in line, the Sir Knights at pre-
 sent as the procession passed.

The Sir Knights then resumed their
 Special Car and returned to the
 Temple where the Commandery was
 closed in Due Form and the lines
 dismissed.

A true record,

Attest

J. Gilman Waite
 Recorder

Asylum of Boston Community, K.T.

Masonic Temple, Boylston Street,

Boston, Wednesday April 19,
1905.

Stated Conclave,

Annual Inspection.

A Conclave of Knights Templars
opened in 5th Room at three o'clock
and thirty minutes P. M.

3 Officers Present.

E. Sir Richard A. Atwood,	Commander
Sir Charles S. Darnall,	Generalissimo
Sir James S. Blake,	Captain General
Sir Rev. George L. Perin D.D.	Preceptor
Sir John E. Ames,	Senior Warden
Sir Leonard M. Ross,	Junior Warden
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E. Sir J. Silman Waite,	Treasurer
Sir John A. Bell,	Recorder
Sir Edgar F. Hunt,	Standard Bearer
Sir Frederick C. Garrison,	Sword Bearer
Sir Francis H. Appleton,	Warden
Sir Joseph T. Paul,	Third Guard
Sir Ahma C. J. Pope	Second Guard
	First Guard

E. Sir J. Silman Waite,
Sir John A. Bell,
Sir Edgar F. Hunt,
Sir Frederick C. Garrison,
Sir Francis H. Appleton,
Sir Joseph T. Paul,
Sir Ahma C. J. Pope

Sir Geo. S. Foster

Guard

Sir Edward O. Hald

Sir Fred. P. Hayward

Sir Vernon M. Peirce

Sir J. Frederick Sampson

Armorer

Sir Thomas M. Carter

Musical Director

Sir Eben H. Parley

Organist

Sir Edward F. Jacobs

Butler

4 Past Eminent Commanders present:

E. Sir Frederick T. Coe

E. Sir James M. Gleason

E. Sir Eugene A. Holborn

E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield

E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield

E. Sir J. Silman Waite

E. Sir John H. Bowker

E. Sir Rinaldo P. Richardson

5 Reports of the committees on the petitions of

Comp. Max Kow, & son

Comp. Andrew Francis Jones

Comp. Everett Warner Munro

Comp. Charles Shresha Rawson

Comp. William Wright Rogers

Comp. Benjamin Ezra Word

were received and ballots taken, which, in each case, proved to be clear and the
were specially declared to be elected.
receive the Order of Knighthood in Por-
ton Commandery, N. S.

6 The committee, to whom was referred
the petition of
Comp. William Adolph Low
asked for, and was granted, further time.

7 At four o'clock and five minutes, the business
of the Commandery was suspended and
a Council of the Illustrious Order of
the Red Cross opened,
and

Comp. Max Henry Reim,
Comp. Andrew Francis Jones,
Comp. Everett Warren Munro,
Comp. Charles Thruher Rawson,
Comp. William Wright Rogers,
Comp. Benjamin Ezra Wood.

were created and constituted Companions
of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross
in due form and with full ceremony.

8 At five o'clock and five minutes, however,
work was suspended in the Council.

of the Red Cross, and the business of the
Commandery resumed.

9 The records of the
last Stated and Special Conclaves were
read and approved.

10 The following petitions for the Order were
presented:

Comp. Frank Parker Anthony.
A member of Mt. Labor Lodge of East Boston
and Winthrop Royal Arch Chapter of Winthrop,
Mass. Recommended and vouched
for by Sir Frank W. Atwood and E. Sir
Richard A. Atwood. Committee:
Sir Timothy A. Atwood, Sir J. Sturgis Wright
and Sir Fred. W. Hayden.

Comp. Henry Buggs.
A member of Columbian Lodge and
St. Paul's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Wm.
Gordon, and Sir James S. Blake.
Committee: Sir John D. Allen, Sir Robert
G. Wilson, Sir Eugene C. Shaw.

Comp. Joseph Burns.
A member of Union Lodge of Dorchester
and St. Paul's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by

Sir William Eadie and Sir Thomas G. Buckley,
Committee: Sir Leonard W. Ross, Sir Edward
P. Upham, and Sir Charles D. Wright.

Comp. Arthur Holland Chamberlain.
A member of Mount Lebanon Lodge and
St. Andrew's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir
Leonard W. Ross and Sir John H. Foster.
Committee: Sir John E. Cooke, Sir Warren O.
Ellis and Sir George H. Picknell.

Comp. Walter Fellows Tolby.
A member of John Abbot Lodge of Somerville,
and St. Paul's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Jo-
seph T. Paul and Sir Paul C. Klein.
Committee: Sir John H. MacLean, Sir Ernest
L. Davis and Sir William O. Holmes.

Comp. George Francis Davenport.
A member of Union Lodge and Dorchester
Royal Arch Chapter of Dorchester. Rec-
ommended and vouched for by Sir Herbert
L. Kelley and Sir Fred. P. Hayward.
Committee: Sir William O. Rand, Sir
Fred V. Muffeldt, and Sir Harry E. Howe.

Comp. Frank Munro Elkins

A member of Joseph Warren Lodge, and St.
Paul's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Jack.
son H. Townsend and Sir Edward L. Rawson.
Committee: Sir Frank W. Richards, Sir John H.
Bowker, and Sir Myron F. Fane.

Comp. John Phillips Teehan.
A member of Joseph Warren Lodge and
St. Andrew's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir
Josiah T. Dyre and Sir Leonard W. Ross.
Committee: Sir Eugene A. Hottow, Sir Geo.
E. Burke, and Sir Augustus Ridgeway.

Comp. George Warren Gilbert.
A member of Beth-horon Lodge, Brookline,
and St. Andrew's Royal Arch Chapter, Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Edw.
O. Hatch, and Sir Leonard W. Ross.
Committee: Sir Frank W. Woodward, Sir Joseph
F. Heald, and Sir William H. Mason.

Comp. James Webster Holt.
A member of John Abbot Lodge of Somer-
ville, and St. Paul's Royal Arch Chapter Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir
Edward R. Smyth and Sir Edward F. Jacobs.
Committee: Sir William Eadie, Sir Rich.

and Gibson and Sir George Mac Donald.

Comp. William J. Ardman.
A member of Joseph Mann Lodge and
St. Paul's Royal Arch Chapter, of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Charles
H. Mansfield, and Sir Frank P. Rhoades.
Committee: Sir James S. Blake, Sir Josiah
T. Dyer, and Sir Herbert A. Rhoades.

Comp. William Marshall.
A member of Hiram Lodge and Menotomy
Royal Arch Chapter, of Arlington.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir
Thomas M. Calkin, and Sir George M. Weston.
Committee: Sir George M. Stone, Sir Fred. W.
Damon, and Sir Eben H. Bailey.

Comp. Marcus Libby W. Pann.
A member of Paul Dean Lodge, of Easton, Mass.
and St. Paul's Royal Arch Chapter, Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Robert
F. Ford, and Sir Robert G. Milson.
Committee: Sir Leon M. Abbott, Sir Oscar W.
Ward, and Sir Walter L. Young.

Comp. Harry Penfield White.
A member of Meadville Lodge No. 408, Pa.
and St. Andrew Royal Arch Chapter, Boston.

Recommended and vouched for by Sir Josiah
T. Dyer, and Sir Leonard M. Rose.
Committee: Sir Jas. M. Donald, Sir Henry
Samuel, and Sir Alexander M. D. Clute.

Comp. Frederick Orr Nordruff.
A member of St. John's Lodge and St. An-
drew Royal Arch Chapter, of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir James
F. Wetherald, and Sir William S. Heath.
Committee: Sir J. Arthur Jacobs, Sir Edward
C. Mansfield, and Sir Fred. G. Storey.

11 Applicant for Membership.

Sir Herbert W. Jackson.
A member of St. John's Lodge of Boston
and Newton Royal Arch Chapter of Newton.
Knights in, and Dismissed from Lethemane
Commandery, N. S. Newton Mass.
Proposed by Sir James S. Blake.
Committee: Sir W. Clifton Jones, Sir Jesse
E. Ames, and Sir Alexander C. Brown.

12 Leov-De-Lion Commandery. Knights Templars

Boston, Charlestown Dist, April 20, 1905.

To the Eminent Commander, officers,
and Members of Boston Commandery, K. T.
Dear Sirs and Fraters: -

Your request of March 20, 1905
for release of jurisdiction by Corne De
Lion Commandery over Companion James
William Hunt of Medford, Mass.,
was duly presented to the Sir Knights of
Corne De Lion Commandery at its regular
conclave on the 18th inst., and it was
voted not to release jurisdiction over
said Companion.

Yours condescending

W. L. Gable

Recorder

Seal

13

Grand Commandery
of
Knights Templars
and the
Appendant Orders of Massachusetts,
and Rhode Island

Office of W. P. E. Grand Commander
Walden, Mass.; March 31, 1905

Serial Order No. 4
Series of 1904-1905

To the Officers and Members of this Grand
Commandery, and the Officers and Members
of Subordinate Commanderies of this Jurisdiction:
In Sadness, Greeting:

The Silent Messenger has again en-
tered our Asylum, and stricken from the
rolls of the living the name of our distin-
guished and Right Eminent Sir Knight

William Russell Walker,

Past Grand Commander,

who departed this life Saturday, March 11,
1905, at 11.45 A. M. in his 75th year.
Sir Knight Walker had been in precarious
health for many months, and finally suc-
cumbed to an attack of heart disease
and passed away somewhat unexpectedly.

He was born in Seekonk, Mass.,
(now East Providence) April 14, 1830, and
was a descendant in the third gener-
ation from a sire who fought at Lexington,
and showing a continuance of the
martial spirit and patriotism in
participating in the Civil War with the
First Rhode Island Regiment, after which
he served with the Rhode Island Militia

for twenty years, and retired some years since as Major General.

He served in civil life in the Town Council and General Assembly, and was a delegate to the National Presidential Convention in 1888.

He occupied a high standing in his profession as an architect, and was active in promoting the business interests of the city where he lived for more than fifty years.

His Masonic record is as follows:

He received the Symbolic degrees in Union Lodge No. 10, in 1887; the Capitular degree in Pawtucket Royal Arch Chapter, No. 4, in 1890; the Cryptic degree in Pawtucket Council Royal and Select Masters, No. 2, in 1898-1901; and was a member of Providence Consistory A. T., A. S. R., 32^d degree.

He was created and dubbed a Knight Templar in Holy Sepulcher Commandery, March 31, 1871, and served as Eminent Commander for the years 1879-1880 and 1881.

He served this Grand Commandery as Grand Lecturer, Grand Standard Bearer, Grand Junior Warden, Grand Senior Warden, Grand Captain General, Grand Generalissimo

Deputy Grand Commander, and as Grand Commander for the Temple year 1896-7.

Funeral services were held at his home in Pawtucket, R. I., March 15, 1905, where our Burial Service was performed by the Grand Officers, after which the body was escorted to the grave by Holy Sepulcher Commandery, where Union Lodge F. & A. M. performed the Masonic service.

As a tribute to our beloved Frater, it is hereby ordered: That the banners, jewels and altars of this Grand Commandery be draped in mourning for sixty days, and that similar mourning be worn on the jewels, banners and altars of each Subordinate Commandery for a like period; and that this Order be read at the head of the lines in each body at the next regular Conclave after its receipt, and be spread in full upon the records.



Attest:

Dana J. Flanders
Grand Commander

P. M. Rowell
Grand Recorder

14 A General Dispensation to all Commanderies "within the Jurisdiction of this Grand Commandery" - "to appear in full Temple (Winford), without banners or music, to attend Easter Services on Sunday, April 23^d, 1905," was read, the same having been issued by the R. E. Grand Commandery, Sir Dana J. Flanders, under date of April 11, 1905.

15 General Order, No. 5, Series of 1904-1905, of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, were read, and ordered to be placed on file.

16 The Eminent Commander announced the following deaths:-

Sir Lucius H. Dyer	March 26, 1905.
Sir John Storr Jacobs	April 5, 1905.
Sir William Edwin Milk	April 12, 1905.

and ordered a page inscribed to the memory of each.

17 At five o'clock, and thirty minutes a recess of an hour was declared, and the Sir Knights repaired to the Banquet and passed the hour so called.

(1) Six o'clock and thirty minutes the business of the Commandery was resumed.

18 Letters, expressing the thanks of the families of Sir Knights John S. Jacobs and Wm. E. Milk for services rendered, and flowers were read by the Recorder.

19 Amendment to By-Laws.

O. Sir James M. Mason, Chairman of the Committee to whom was referred the amendment proposed at the last Stated Conclave, (p. 10), recommended the substitution of the following:

"The notice shall be served upon the delinquent Sir Knight, at least two months before action shall be taken upon his suspension or expulsion, either by giving such notice to him in hand, or by leaving the same at his last and usual place of abode, or by mailing the same to his last known address, postage prepaid."

for the words

two months notice of the time when, and the place where, action will be

taken in his case being first given by the Recorder to said delinquent. Notice mailed to the last known address shall suffice. When the residence is unknown, the notice may be omitted, in the proposed Amendment: - so that Section 8, of Article IX, of the By-Laws, when amended, will read:

Sect. 8. Bills for "Annual Dues" shall be sent with the notice of the Stated Conclave next succeeding the Annual Conclave, in each year, and shall be due and payable on, or before, the date of the next Annual Conclave.

Newly admitted members shall pay a proportionate part of the annual dues from the date of signing the By-Laws until the next Annual Conclave.

Any member whose dues or assessments are not paid on, or before, the first day of January, next succeeding their maturity, shall be deemed a delinquent under the By-Laws, and may, by direction of the "Standing Committee on Finance", be proceeded against for non-payment of dues in the manner prescribed by the Grand

Commandery.

The notice shall be served upon the delinquent Sir Knight, at least two months before action shall be taken upon his suspension or expulsion, either by giving such notice to him in hand, or by leaving the same at his last and usual place of abode, or by mailing the same to his last known address, postage prepaid.

20 The proposed change in phraseology having been agreed to, a poll of the members present was taken by which the whole number appeared to be one hundred seventy-four. Two-thirds necessary for adoption 116. One hundred sixty-one Sir Knights ^{having} voted in the affirmative, and none in the negative, the amendment was declared to be adopted.

21 The Recorder stated that Sir Charles M. Leonard, who was suspended October 16, 1891, had fully complied with the By-Laws, as provided for in such cases, and requested to be reinstated to good standing as a Knight Templar.

and to membership in Boston Commandery, N. I.

On motion, it was Voted: Unanimously
That Sir Charles M. Conant be recognized
to good standing as a Knight Templar.

22 On motion, Voted: That the action on delinquents, as voted at the January
Conclave, John 4 - be deferred until
the next Conclave. May

23 On motion, Voted: That the Eminent Council
do be and is authorized to place at
the disposal of the visiting Sir Knights
of St. John's and Kent's support Commanderies
seats on the Observation Stand
for their ladies.

24 At seven o'clock and fifty-five minutes
E. Sir Charles E. Peirce, Em. Grand Master
announced that E. Sir E. Peirce
Grand Generalissimo of the Grand Com-
mandery of Knights Templar of Mas-
sachusetts, and those who were
present for the purpose of making the
usual Inspection of Boston Commandery.

The Eminent Commander of

joined the following committee to wait
upon and escort the E. Grand Gen-
eralissimo into the Assembly.

Sir Charles T. Dawell Generalissimo Harmon.

E. Sir Frederick T. Leome.

E. Sir James M. Allen.

E. Sir Eugene A. Motton.

E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield.

E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield.

E. Sir H. Silman Waite.

E. Sir John C. Peirce.

E. Sir Fernaldo P. Richardson.

25 The Ladies were formed and the E. Grand
Generalissimo escorted to the East,
where a knightly greeting was ex-
tended to him by E. Sir Watwood,
Commander. The customary pre-
liminary remarks ended, the E. Grand
Generalissimo was escorted to the East
under an Arch of Banners.

The E. Grand Generalissimo was ac-
companied by a distinguished Suite,
consisting of

E. Sir Charles E. Peirce

E. Grand Master

E. Sir Lafayette B. Peirce

E. Grand Sword Bearer

E. Sir Joseph W. Eganly

E. Grand Lecturer

Edw. F. L. Hager,

E. Grand

R. N. W. Boulle, Past Grand Commander
R. E. Hubert F. Hager,

In addition to the above, were a
considerable number of Past Grand
Commanders, Acting Grand
Commanders, Generalissimo and Captain

- 26 The official examination of the Charter,
Records, By-Laws, Constitution, and
of Statutes of the Grand Commandery of the
Ritual of the Grand Encampment
No. 1500, and Ritual of the Order of
Malta No. 1000, was then made ac-
cording to the requirements of the
Grand Commandery, by the E. Grand
Generalissimo, and the official
count was taken with the following
result.

30 Knights in uniform

" " not "

" " visitors.

- 27 At the close of the inspection
Alwood resumed the East

the remainder of the Illustrations (about
the Red Cross) was conferred and

Comd. Max Henry Heine

Ernest Warren Munro,

Charles Thresher Rawson,

William Wright Rogers,

Benjamin Ezra Hood,

were created and constituted Companions
of the Illustrations Order of the Red Cross
in Due Time and with full ceremony.

- 28 The Council of the Red Cross was closed
and the Business of the Commandery re-
sumed at nine o'clock and thirty-five
minutes.

- 29 The Eminent Grand Generalissimo then
addressed the Commandery, expressing
himself as well pleased with the Con-
dition of its affairs, both as to its
financial condition and manage-
ment, and to its ritualistic work
as exemplified by its officers. Hav-
ing closed his address to the Com-
mandery he, with his suite, was
escorted to his apartments by
the same Committee that had pre-
viously escorted him into the
Asylum.

The Commandery was then closed in due
 form, the lines formed and the G.
 Grand Generalissimo, with his suite, and
 the visiting Sir Knights, were escorted
 to the Bangor Hall, where a sea-
 son was spent socially.

a true record
 attest: J. Silman Waite
 Recorder

In Memoriam

Sir Lucas Henry Dwyer

born in Brooks Maine. November 25, 1829¹⁵

Raised a Master Mason Union Lodge Dorchester
 Mass March 22 1851

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrew's
 P.A. Chapter, Boston, November 16, 1865

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
 and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
 a Knight Templar
 in Boston Commander of Knights Templar
 April 13, 1866.

Admitted to Membership.
 May 16, 1866.

Died at Auburn, Maine
 Sunday March 26
 1905

In Memoriam

Sir John Storer Jacobs.

Born in Wells, Maine, September 15, 1824.

Raised a Master Mason in Joseph Mann Lodge,
Boston, Mass. January 22, 1867.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrew's
Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, October 6, 1875.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar.
in Boston Commander of Knights Templars
December 15, 1875.

Admitted to Membership,
February 16, 1846.

Died in Boston, Mass.,
Wednesday, April 5,
1905.

In Memoriam

Sir William Edwin Milk

Born in Boston, November 22, 1849.

Raised a Master Mason in Temple Lodge,
East Boston, Mass. March 11, 1874.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Paul's
Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, December 1, 1891.

Created and Dubbed a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar.
in Boston Commander of Knights Templars
April 17, 1895.

Admitted to Membership
April 17, 1895.

Died at Dorchester, Mass.
April 12, 1905.

a Life Member.

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22	Action on delinquents postponed 1 month.	98
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24	E. Grand Master announced.	"
25	" " Generalissimo received	99
26	Official Inspection	100
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28	Council of Red Cross closed	101
29	Business of Commandery resumed ^{E. Grand Generalissimo} Address.	"
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The funeral of Sir Anthony Cunio was held at his late residence, 202 Northampton St., Boston, on Monday, May 1 at two o'clock P. M.

Among the Sir Knights present were
 E. Sir Richard A. Atwood,
 E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield,
 E. Sir J. Edmund Waite,
 Sir Charles L. Russell,
 Sir Herman Bird,
 Sir William F. Varnum,
 Sir Horace D. Litchfield

Asylum of Boston Commandery N.Y.
Masonic Temple, Boylston Street.

Boston, Wednesday, May 17, 1905.

Stated Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templar was opened in due form at five o'clock P.M.

Officers present.

E. Sir Richard A. Atwood,	Commander
Sir Charles S. Danrell,	Generalissimo
Sir James S. Blake,	Captain General
Sir Geo. George L. Perin D.D.,	Prelate
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E. Sir J. Gilman Waite,	Treasurer
Sir John A. Bell,	Recorder
Sir Edgar T. Hunt,	Standard Bearer
Sir Frederick C. Graves,	Sword Bearer
Sir Francis H. Appleton,	Warder
Sir Joseph T. Paul,	Third Guard
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Sir George S. Forker	Second Guard
Sir Edward O. Hatch	First Guard
Sir Fred P. Hayward	Guard
Sir Vernon M. Pierce	"
	"
	"

Sir Geo. E. Ames, Senior Warden
Sir Leonard, W. Ross, Junior Warden

Sir Charles M. Ward	Guard
Sir J. Fredk. Sampson	Armorer
Sir Thomas M. Carter	Musical Director
Sir Eben H. Caley	Organist
Sir Edward Jacob	Sentinel

- 2 Past Eminent Commander present
E. Sir James M. Gleason
E. Sir Eugene A. Cotton
E. Sir Edwin J. Litchfield
E. Sir Henry J. Litchfield
E. Sir J. Gilman Waite
E. Sir John H. Proctor
E. Sir Rinaldo P. Richardson
- 3 Reports of the Committees on the petitions of
Comp. William Adolph Low
Comp. Frank Parker Anthony
Comp. Henry Briggs
Comp. John Joseph Burnes
Comp. Arthur Holland Chamberlain
Comp. Walter Fellows
Comp. George Francis Harcourt
Comp. Frank Munroe Perkins
Comp. John Phillips Fekhan
Comp. James Webster Holt
Comp. William Jardine
Comp. William Marshall

Comp. Marcus Libby Mann
 Comp. Harry Purfield White,
 Comp. Frederick Orr Woodruff,
 were received and ballots taken, which,
 in each case, proved to be clear and
 they were specially declared to be cleared
 to receive the Order of Friendship in Bos-
 ton Commandery.

4 Reports of the committee on the petition of
 Comp. George Warren Gilbert,
 were received and a ballot taken, which
 was not clear, and his petition was
 declared to be rejected.

6 A ballot was taken on the application
 of Sir Charles M. Grant
 for reinstatement to membership in
 Boston Commandery. It proved to be
 clear and Sir Knight Grant was de-
 clared to be restored to membership in
 the Commandery.

7 The business of the Commandery was then
 suspended and a Council of the Illu-
 strious Order of the Red Cross opened
 for the reception of candidates, and
 Comp. William Adolph Low,
 Comp. Frank Parker Anthony,

Comp. Henry Briggs,
 Comp. John Joseph Gurnes,
 Comp. Arthur Holland Chamberlain,
 Comp. Walter Follows Cobb,
 Comp. George Francis Davenport,
 Comp. Frank Munroe Elkins,
 Comp. John Phillips Fitcham,
 Comp. James Webster Holt,
 Comp. William Jardine,
 Comp. William Marshall,
 Comp. Marcus Libby Mann,
 Comp. Harry Purfield White,
 Comp. Frederick Orr Woodruff,
 were created and constituted Companions of the

5 The committee to whom was referred
 the application of
 Sir Herbert H. Jackson,
 for membership, made report, and
 upon ballot being taken, he was de-
 clared to be elected to membership in the
 Commandery.

8 At seven o'clock and forty minutes, work
 was suspended in the Council and
 business resumed in the Commandery.

9 The records of the last Stated Conclave,
 as far as written, were read and
 approved.

10 Petitions for the Order were received from:

Comp. George Burgess Burr,
a member of Abendon Lodge of Bos-
ton, and St. Stephen's P.A. Chapter of Quincy.
Recommended and Vouched for by Sir Ja-
cob E. Boyden and Sir George A. Griffiths
Committee: Sir Charles E. Carmichael, Sir For-
rest J. Hall; Sir William S. Boardman.

Comp. Charles William Howard,
a member of Winthrop Lodge and Win-
throp P.A. Chapter of Winthrop, Mass.
Recommended and Vouched for by Sir Francis
H. Appleton and Sir Ahrend C. J. Pope.
Committee: Sir Orville E. Johnson; Sir John
R. Seal; Sir Gynear S. Weston.

Comp. George Richard Nugent,
a member of Robbin Lodge of St. Boston,
and St. Paul's P.A. Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and Vouched for by Sir
Henry P. Sprague and Sir Walter J. Gougeon.
Committee: Sir George S. Foster; Sir Abraham S.
Christopher; Sir William M. Gaillet.

Comp. Guy Chester Willis,
a member of St. John's Lodge and St.
Andrew's P.A. Chapter of Boston.

Recommended and Vouched for by Sir
William Heath and Sir Edward F. Jacob.
Committee: Sir Chas. Madawg; Sir Geo.
W. Harvey; Sir Clarence E. Gained.

11 The E. Commandant announced the fol-
lowing deaths

Sir Anthony Cunio	April 28, 1905
Sir Ivory W. Pope	May 6, 1905
Sir George W. Davenport	May 18, 1905

and ordered that a page of the Records
be inscribed to the memory of each.

12 Letter, expressing the thanks of the family
of Sir Ivory W. Pope, for floral
tribute, was read.

13 In accordance with votes passed Jan. 18,
(p 44), and April 19, (p 98), action was
taken upon the membership of Sir Knights
delinquent in payment of annual dues.
The membership of the following named
Sir Knights was, upon vote, de-
clared suspended:

Sir Henry E. Gurney, owing	\$24.00
Sir Stephen D. Vinal	32.00
Sir Henry E. Weston	24.00
Sir Albert P. Wilcox	24.00

Sir Knight Wm J. Burton was granted further time until the September octave. Sir Knight John D. Gale was granted further time.

The dues of Sir James H. Huff for the year 1903 were remitted.

The following cases were referred, for future report as follows:

Sir Wm H. Lott to E. Sir R. A. Alwood
 Sir James H. Jacob to E. Sir R. A. Alwood
 Sir Otis E. Hay to E. Sir R. A. Alwood
 Sir Astor Mast W. Rayner to E. Sir J. Gilman Waite
 Sir Emory T. Souther to E. Sir J. Gilman Waite
 Sir Charles P. Tucker to Sir Edwin M. Cox.

14 At eight o'clock and forty minutes the business of the Commandery was suspended, and the Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross again opened and the unfinished work of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross conferred upon the candidates.

15 The Council of the Red Cross was then closed and the business of the Commandery again resumed.

16 At ten o'clock and forty minutes the

Commandery was closed in Due Form, the Series formed and the Sir Knights repaired to the Banquet Hall.

a true record
 attest: J. Gilman Waite,
 Recorder.

17 The funeral of Sir Irving H. Pope was held at his late residence, No. 108 Orchard St. West Somerville, on Tuesday, May 9, at two o'clock P.M.

The Commandery was represented by

E. Sir James M. Gleason,
 Sir Daniel W. Lawrence,
 Sir J. Harvey Young,
 Sir Henry B. Farr,
 Sir Walter T. Byden,
 Sir Josiah S. Dyer.

18 Asylum of Boston (Commandery K. T.)
Masonic Temple, Boylston St.

Boston, Monday, May 22, 1905

Special Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templar was
opened in due form, at seven o'clock
P.M.

19 Officers present,
E. Sir Richard A. Atwood, Commander
Sir Charles S. Danwell, Generalissimo
Sir James S. Blake, Captain General
Sir Rev. George L. Perrin D.D., Prelate
Sir Jesse E. Ames, Senior Warden
Sir Leonard M. Ross, Junior Warden
Sir James D. Rousseau, Treasurer
E. Sir J. Gilman Waite, Recorder
Sir John A. Bell, Standard Bearer
Sir Edgar T. Hunt, Sword Bearer
Sir Frederick C. Graves, Warden
Sir Francis H. Appleton, Third Guard
Sir Joseph T. Paul, Second Guard
Sir Almond C. J. Pope, First Guard
Sir George S. Foster, Guard
Sir Edward O'Hatch, "
Sir Franklin E. Russell, "

Sir Frederick Sampson, Armorer
Sir Thomas M. Carter, Musical Director
Sir Eben H. Bailey, Organist
Sir Edward H. Jacobs, Sentinel

20 Past Eminent Commanders present.
E. Sir James M. Gleason,
E. Sir Eugene A. Horton
E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield
E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield
E. Sir J. Gilman Waite
E. Sir John H. Bowker
E. Sir Rinaldo P. Richardson

2 The object of the special Conclave
was the conferring of the Orders
of the Temple, and Malta upon
the following named Companions
of the Illustrious Order of the Red
Cross.

Comp. Mark Poole Campbell
Comp. George Urban Bauer
Comp. Frederick Soar Brine
Comp. John Alden Gault
Comp. Joseph Warren Hammes
Comp. Isaac Buckingham Spafford
Comp. Max Henry Heim
Comp. Everett Warren Munro,

Comp. Charles Thrasher Rawson;
 Comp. William Wright Rogers;
 Comp. Benjamin Ezra Wood;
 Comp. William Adolph Low;
 Comp. Frank Parker Anthony;
 Comp. Henry Briggs;
 Comp. John Joseph Burnes;
 Comp. Arthur Holland Chamberlain;
 Comp. Walter Fellows (Dr.);
 Comp. George Francis Davenport;
 Comp. Frank Munroe Perkins;
 Comp. John Phillips Teekaw;
 Comp. James Webster Holt;
 Comp. William Jardine;
 Comp. William Marshall;
 Comp. Marcus Libby Uram;
 Comp. Harry Penfield White;
 Comp. Fredrick Ben Woodruff.

These Companions all being present,
 the Order of the Temple was con-
 ferred upon them in Due Form and
 with full ceremony, after which,
 the Order of Malta was conferred
 upon them, in Short Form.

They then repaired to the Recorder's
 desk, signed the By-Laws, received
 a copy of the same, also their
 Diplomas.

The purpose for which the Special
 Conclave was called, being ac-
 complished, the Commandery
 was closed in Due Form, and
 the Sir Knights repaired to the
 Banquet Hall.

A true record,
 attest: J. Gilman Waite.
 Recorder

22 The funeral of Sir Geo. B. Harriman was
 held at his late residence 59 Lawrence
 Avenue, Roxbury, on Friday May 26,
 and was attended by Sir Edward
 R. Upham, and Sir William W. Galt.
 Let, representing the Commandery.

23 The funeral of Sir Henry C. Hall,
 who died at Muskegon Mich, to which
 place he had recently gone from San-
 Francisco, was held in "Sleepy
 Hollow Chapel", Concord, Mass.
 at three o'clock, and fifteen min-
 utes P.M., on Saturday June 10,
 Sir Knights, Charles L. Russell,
 and John H. Mearns were present
 to represent the Commandery.

- 24 The funeral of Sir Malcolm Greene was held in the Chapel, at Forest Hills Cemetery, on Wednesday, June 14th, at 10 o'clock P.M.
The Commandery was represented by Sir Walter M. Dryden

Summary - May 1905

1	Officers present	108
2	Past Commanders present	109
3	15 elected to receive the Order	"
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6	1 reinstated	110
7	15 receive the Order of the Red Cross	"
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19	Officers present	"
20	Past Commanders present	117
21	26 candidates receive Order of Temple Motta	"
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24	" " " Malcolm E. Greene	120
	" " " Anthony Cunio	107

In Memoriam.

Sir Anthony Tenuis.

Born in Genoa, Italy, January 24, 1834.

Raised a Master Mason in Amicable Lodge,
Cambridge, Mass.

Created a Royal Arch Mason in Cambridge
R. A. Chapter of Cambridge, September 10, 1860.

Created and Dubbed a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templars
March 19, 1873.

Admitted to Membership,
April 16, 1873.

Died at Boston, Mass.,
Friday April 28
1905.

In Memoriam.

Sir Ivory Kory Pope.

Born in Wells, Maine, May 29, 1828.

Raised a Master Mason in St. Andrew's
Lodge, Chelsea, Mass., May 23, 1855.

Created a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrew's
R. A. Chapter, Boston, January 11, 1856.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
(Sumbria Commandery of Knights Templars,
Washington, D. C., September 23, 1864.

Affiliated with Boston Commandery,
February 15, 1865.

Died at Souewille, Mass.,
Saturday May 6,
1905.

a. Life Member.

In Memoriam

Sir George William Davenport

Born in Fall River, Mass. Oct. 12, 1858

Raised a Master Mason, King Philip Lodge
Fall River, Mass. February 21, 1882Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Fall River
Royal Arch Chapter, Fall River Mass, April 3, 1882.Dubbed and created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar.
in Boston four hundred of Knights Templars
December 17, 1891.Admitted to Membership
December 17, 1891.Died at Niagara Falls, N.Y.
Thursday, May 18,
1905

Wylune of Boston Commandery, R.G.

Masonic Temple, Corydon Street,

Boston, Wednesday, May 24, 1905.

Special Conclaves.

A special conclave of Boston Commandery, R.G., was held for the purpose of participating in the celebration of the centennial of the formation of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, in which act Boston Commandery, then known as Boston Encampment, performed a prominent part.

The Commandery was opened promptly at eight o'clock A.M.

Officers present.

Ex-Sir Richard A. Atwood,	Commander
Sir Charles J. Darnell,	Generalissimo
Sir James S. Blake,	Captain General
_____	Relate
Sir Jesse E. Ames	Senior Warden
Sir Leonard H. Ross	Junior Warden
_____	Treasurer
Sir Herbert A. Braden	ad. Recorder
Sir John A. Bell	Standard Bearer

Sir Edgar T. Hunt,	Sword Bearer
Sir Frederick O. Gawn,	Warden
Sir Francis H. Appleton,	Third Guard
Sir Joseph T. Paul,	Second Guard
Sir Ahmond C. J. Pope,	First Guard
Sir George S. Foster,	Guard
Sir Edward O. Hatch,	"
Sir Fred P. Hayward,	"
Sir Vernon M. Pease,	"
Sir Franklin E. Russell,	"
Sir Charles W. Ward,	"
Sir J. Frederick Sampson,	Armorer
Sir Thomas M. Coker,	Musical Director
Sir Edward F. Jacobs,	Secretary

2 Past Eminent Commander present.

E. Sir Henry Endicott,
 P. E. Sampson C. Lawrence,
 E. Sir Frederick T. Conner,
 E. Sir James M. Meason,
 E. Sir Eugene A. Holton,
 E. Sir Leonard P. Nichols,
 E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield,
 E. Sir Henry K. Litchfield,
 E. Sir A. German Ward,
 E. Sir John H. Bowker,
 E. Sir Rinaldo B. Richardson.

3 The Sir Knights repaired to the common

where the Commandery was formed in two regiments, the first in charge of Sir Isaac E. Ames, Senior Warden and the second with Sir Leonard W. Ross, Junior Warden in command. Adjutant, Sir William A. Paw.

4 In accordance with the vote passed January 18, page 43, the first regiment was detailed to proceed to the Park-Place Station N.Y., N.H. and H.P.R.R., receive St. John's Commandery No. 1, and escort it to place in line; in like manner, the second regiment marched to the North Union Station, receive Newburyport Commandery No. 3, and escorted it to place in line. The two regiments were then formed in place in line, on Newbury Street, right resting on Arlington Street.

5 The Commandery paraded with 399 Sir Knights in line.

The official account given to St. John's, 310 Sir Knights in line, and to Newburyport 110 Sir Knights.

6 The column started promptly on the hour set, eleven o'clock A.M., Boston Commandery taking up the line of march at eleven o'clock and twelve minutes. At one o'clock

and fifteen minutes it had completed the line of march and arrived at Coylston, corner of Charles Street, where it received, and escorted, St. John's and Newburyport Commanderies to the Mechanics Building where all partook of the substantial collation that had been prepared for them. At the close of the collation, brief addresses were made by the several Commanders, E. Sir Richard A. Atwood of Boston, E. Sir Joseph P. Burlingame of St. John's, E. Sir William A. Butler of Newburyport.

7 The occasion was made memorable by St. John's Commandery, whose Sir Knights had provided themselves with a souvenir badge, suitably designed, to commemorate the occasion, of which, each Sir Knight and each Sir Knight present was the recipient of a copy.

8 The Band was in charge of a committee consisting of E. Sir Eugene A. Holton, Sir Josiah T. Dyre, and Sir James D. Bonimus, which was of itself, a sufficient guaranty of its success, and such it proved to be.

9 An observation stand was built for the ladies

on the Common opposite "Keith's Theatre", capable of seating six hundred fifty persons, one hundred tickets were given to each of the visiting Commanderies, guests of Boston Commandery, for the ladies accompanying them. A hot lunch was served to the ladies. Next to Boston Commandery's observation stand, on the south, was the one constructed by the Grand Commandery, and, from which, the R. E. Grand Commander reviewed the Sir Knights as they passed, every Commandery in the jurisdiction being well represented.

10 A car provided furnished the Sir Knights from Newburyport for transportation to the North Union Station.

11 The following named Sir Knights of Boston Commandery were called to render some special service in the ceremonies of commemoration:

E. Sir James M. Gleason as member, and Treasurer of the Executive Committee. E. Sir Gleason was chairman of the committee on Music, and had associated with him E. Sir Richard A. Atwood, E. Sir William A. Lawrence and Sir Thomas M. Carter.

R. E. Sir Samuel C. Lawrence, E. Sir Wm P. Lawrence, E. Sir Leonard P. Nichols, E. Sir Charles S. Litchfield, E. Sir J. Gilman Waite, E. Sir Richard A. Atwood, and Sir Thomas (M. Carter rendered service on the Auxiliary Committee.

E. Sir Charles S. Litchfield, as Grand Captain General, and Sir Rev. George L. Perin, D.D. as Grand Orator, each rendered the Grand Commandery efficient in their respective stations.

R. Em. Samuel C. Lawrence served as a member of the Reception Committee.

Em. Sir Leonard P. Nichols, and Em. Sir J. Gilman Waite served as chairman and member of the Committee on Horses and Carriages.

Em. Sir Frederick T. Conner served as Aid on the Staff of V. Em. Edwin A. Blodgett, Commanding First Division, and Sir Wm H. Calland acted as Beausant-Beau to the R. Em. Grand Commander.

Em. Sir Henry Endicott, Senior Past Commander, by reason of his infirmity, was assigned to a position in a carriage, with the guests of the Grand Commandery.

12 At the close of the parade, the Grand Commandery partook of a substantial Lunch at the Masonic Temple.

Boston Commandery K. T.

Special Conclave.

Sir Knight: A Special Conclave of BOSTON COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLARS will be held in

MASONIC TEMPLE,

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24, 1905, AT 8 O'CLOCK A.M. SHARP,

for the purpose of opening a COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLARS to participate in the celebration of the centennial anniversary of the formation of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

As Boston Commandery played a conspicuous part in organizing the Grand body, it is fitting that her members should do honor to those who helped to lay the foundations of that body so broad and strong, by turning out in full ranks on this day. It is hoped that every Sir Knight who can so arrange his affairs as to be present will be found in our lines.

UNIFORM.

The regulation uniform prescribed by Article XI. of the By-Laws must be worn. Boston Commandery uniform consists of black military or frock coat, black pantaloons, black vest, black cravat, and **black boots or black high cut shoes. Buff gauntlets**, with a red passion cross on the outside of each cuff, **to be worn on public parades.** Fatigue cap suspended from belt.

Boston Commandery having tendered courtesies to St. John's Commandery of Providence, R. I., and Newburyport Commandery of Newburyport, Mass., it becomes the duty of every Sir Knight to join in making this welcome of our Fraters one worthy of the occasion we are to join in celebrating. On their arrival in Boston the above-named Commanderies will be received and escorted to place in line.

St. John's Commandery is expected to arrive at 9.45 o'clock A.M. Newburyport Commandery will arrive at about 9.30 o'clock A.M. Boston Commandery will be in place in line, and report to the Chief of Staff of the parade, at 10.15 o'clock A.M.

PARADE.

"The column will move at 11 o'clock over the following route; Arlington Street to Beacon Street; thence via Beacon Street; Charles Street; Park Square; Columbus Avenue; Berkeley Street; Chandler Street; Tremont Street; Eliot Street; Washington Street; Summer Street; High Street; Federal Street; Milk Street; Broad Street; State Street; Court Street; Tremont Street; Boylston Street, and be dismissed on arrival at Park Square, Commanderies continuing the march so as to avoid blocking the column in rear."

BANQUET.

When the lines are dismissed, the visiting Fraters will be escorted to the Mechanics Building, Huntington Avenue, where the Sir Knights of the three Commanderies who have participated in the parade will partake of a banquet, tendered by Boston Commandery, at or about 1.30 o'clock P.M.

Sir Knight, you have an individual part to perform on this occasion. If you have not already signified your decision whether to parade or not please do so at once, for two reasons: *first*, to assist your officers in making their plans; *second*, to inform the Committee on Banquet of the exact number for which to provide. It is absolutely necessary that the committee have this information if it is to arrange, **successfully**, for your comfort and enjoyment at the banquet.

OBSERVATION STAND.

Arrangements are in progress for the accommodation of those who returned postal cards, as requested, ordering seats, and it is expected that tickets will be ready for delivery at the conclaves on the 17th and 22d inst.

Drills at the Mechanics Building on the 11th and 18th inst. for those who intend to parade.

ATTEST:
J. GILMAN WAITE,
Recorder.

Per order,
RICHARD A. ATWOOD,
Eminent Commander.

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to a Sir.

Waite,
Recorder.

Following which the "Commemorative Exercises" were held in Courtland Hall a full account of which has been published in a Souvenir volume.

A banquet followed?

13 Boston Commandery was closed at five o'clock and fifteen minutes P.M.

Attest:

J. Gilman Waite,
Recorder.

May 24 Summary Centennial

1905

1 Officers present	125
2 Past commanders present	126
3 Formation for the parade	"
4 Reception of guests	127
5 Tumbrels parading	"
6 Parade started	"
7 Sovereign badge	128
8 Banquet	"
9 Observation stand	"
10 Cars furnished	129
11 Sir Knights rendering special service	"
12 Commemorative Exercises	130
13 Boston Commandery closed	131

In Memoriam.

Sir George Blodgett Harriman

Born in Groton N.H. (March 18, 1837).

Raised a Master Mason in Beth-horn Lodge,
Brookline, Mass., April 23, 1878

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Paul's
Royal Arch Chapter, Boston.

Dubbed and created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commander of Knights Templar
June 19, 1891.

Admitted to Membership,
June 19, 1891.

Died at Rock River Maine
Monday May 2,
1905.

A Life Member.

Asylum of Boston Commandery K.T.

Masonic Temple, Boylston Street,
Boston Wednesday, June 21, 1905.

Stated Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templars was
opened in due form at three o'clock, P.M.

Officers present.

E. Sir Richard A. Alwood,
Sir Charles S. Dammell
E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield,
Sir Jesse C. Conner,
Sir Leonard W. Ross,
Sir Rev. Geo. L. Perry D.D.
E. Sir J. Gorman Waite,
Sir John A. Bell,
Sir Edgar S. Hunt,
Sir Frederick C. Graves,
Sir Francis H. Appleton,
Sir Joseph T. Paul,

Sir George S. Foster
Sir Edward O. Hatch
Sir Fred. P. Hayward

Commander
Generalissimo
as Captain General
Senior Warden
Junior Warden
Orator
Recorder
Standard Bearer
Sword Bearer
Maiden
Third Guard
Second Guard
First Guard
Guard

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Guard

Sir J. Frederick Sampson,
Sir Thomas W. Carter,
Sir Eben H. Bailey,
Sir Edward F. Jacob.

As more
Musical Director
Organist
Sentinel
Treasurer

past Eminent Commanders present.

E. Sir James W. Mason
E. Sir Eugene A. Holborn,
E. Sir Charles S. Litchfield
E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield
E. Sir J. Gorman Waite

The record of the last stated Conclave was
read and approved.

Reports of committees on the petitions of
Comp. George Burgess Burns,
Comp. Charles Wm. Howard,
Comp. George Richard Nugent,
Comp. Guy Chester Miller

were received, and ballots taken which,
in each case, proved to be clear and
they were each declared to be elected
to receive the Orders of Knighthood con-
ferred in Boston Commandery K.T.

The following letter was read:

5 Nanagansett Commandery No. 27, F. T.
Westerly Rhode Island.
(May 29th 1905.)

Em. Sir, J. Silman Waite,
Recorder Boston Commandery, F. T.
Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.,
Em. and dear Sir:

Nanagansett Commandery No. 27, F. T.
have received an application for the order
from Companion Wm. Gaston Cook, Salisburian,
residence 19 Regent Street, Boston, Business
355 Boylston Street, Boston and respectfully
request that Boston Commandery favor us
with release of jurisdiction over this
Companion.

Companion Cook is at present time
a member of Franklin Lodge and Palmer
Chapter, both of Westerly, and is connected
with the Westerly Granite Co.

Courteously Yours,

Thomas M. Kenzie,

Em. Commander.

Attest

J. C. Purdick

Recorder

On motion it was Voted:

That the foregoing request of Nana-

gansett Commandery, No. 27, be granted

The following communication having
been read:

"To the Boston Commandery.

Please accept this historic
gavel. The handle is made from
wood taken from the Peace Tavern at
Shrewsbury N. H. where George Wash-
ington was entertained. This
Tavern was settled in 1717.

The mallet is made from wood
taken from the Steamship Olympia,
Admiral Dewey's flagship, presented
to me by Capt. King of the Charlestown
Navy Yard.

With best wishes xxxxxxxx, etc;

(Mrs. Phoebe C. Goodwin.

Hotel Argyle

394 West. Ave. Boston.

The Sir Rev. George L. Perin D.D. proposed,
That "in recognition of the beautiful
and historic gavel presented to Boston
Commandery by Mrs. Phoebe C. Good-
win on May 1st it resolved that
the thanks of Boston Commandery be
and are extended to Mrs. Goodwin
for her beautiful and valued gift. Res.

Our Commander holds in kindly esteem every worthy widow of a Knight Templar, and cherishes with sincere appreciation the gift of one whose husband held honored place in the ranks of the order.

Resolved further, that the Recorder of Boston Commandery be instructed to forward to Mrs. Goodwin a copy of this resolution. Adopted.

On motion, it was Voted, That the thanks of Boston Commandery be extended to the "Fusilier Veteran Association of Boston, Mass." for the use of its "National Flag", loaned for use in the parade May 24, last.

8 At three o'clock and twenty-five minutes, the business of the Commandery was suspended, and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened for the reception of candidates, and companions.

George Wales Manson, Jr.
Andrew Francis Jones,
George August Burns,
Charles William Howard,
George Richard Nugent,
Guy Chester Willis,

were created, and constituted companions of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross in due form, and with full ceremony.

9 The Council of the Red Cross was then declared to be closed and business resumed in the Commandery.

10 The Order of the Temple was then conferred in due form, and with full ceremony, and Commissions of the Red Cross.

George Wales Manson, Jr.

Andrew Francis Jones,

George August Burns,

Charles William Howard,

George Richard Nugent

Guy Chester Willis.

were Dubbed and Created Knights of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, Knights Templars.

11 The Order of Knight of Malta was then conferred, in short form, and the above named Knights Templars were Dubbed, and created Knights of Malta after which they repaired to the Recorder's desk, signed the By-Laws, received a copy of the same, also their Diplomas.

During the ceremony of conferring the Order of the Temple, an intermission was called and the Sir Knights repaired to the Pagnet Hall and partook of a substantial lunch. After which the unfinished Business of the Conclave was disposed of.

- 12 The Eminent Commander stated, That the matter of a trip, by steamer, to the shores of the Mediterranean had been suggested to him as one that the Commandery might well consider when making plans for another pilgrimage, and asked for an expression of opinions. The subject, appearing to be new, to most of those present, but few were offered.

It was therefore, Voted, That a committee of three be appointed to confer with Messrs. Thomas Cook, & Co., or other parties, relative to a pilgrimage on the lines above suggested, said committee to report to the Commandery.

Sir Knight Alexander M.D. Linds,
Sir Knight Jamie E. Mason,
Sir Knight Charles S. Parker
were appointed a committee

- 13 In accordance with Article II, Section 1, of the By-Laws, it was voted, The Stated Conclave "in the months of July, August, and September" be omitted, unless the Eminent Commander shall find it to be necessary to call the regular Conclave in September.

- 14 A motion Voted: That a committee of five be appointed to nominate a list of candidates to be balloted on by the Commandery, at its annual conclave in October, next, for officers for the ensuing Temple year, and report in person

Sir Thomas J. Emery,
Sir Warren B. Ellis,
Sir William B. Rand,
Sir Davis L. Leow,
Sir William L. Baker,
were appointed a committee.

- 15 The Eminent Commander announced the death of
- | | |
|-----------------------|---------------|
| Sir George P. Hariman | May 22, 1905. |
| Sir Henry E. Keall | June 3, 1905 |
| Sir Malcolm C. Greene | June 11, 1905 |
- and ordered that a page of the Records be inscribed to the memory of each.

No further business appearing the
Commandery was closed in Due Form.
The lines formed and the Sir Knights
repaired to the Banquet-Hall

A true record
Attest:

J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

Sir Harry D. Leav made request in writing,
in accordance with the By-Laws,
for a dimit from the Commandery, and,
it appearing that he was entitled to the
same, the Com. Commander ordered
that a certificate of the same be
issued to him.

Summary - June
1905

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| 1 | Officers present | 134 |
| 2 | Past Com. Commander present | 135 |
| 3 | Records | " |
| 4 | 4 elected to receive the orders | " |
| 5 | Please to Nanagansett, No. 27, of 1 | 136 |
| 6 | Resolves to Okech C. Gordon | 137 |
| 7 | Thanks to Fusilier Veteran Association | 138 |
| 8 | Council of Red Cross opened | " |
| " | 6 candidates on "Red Cross" | " |
| 9 | Council of Red Cross closed | 139 |
| " | Business resumed in Commandery | " |
| 10 | 6 candidates on "The Temple" | " |
| 11 | 6 " " "Mattha" | " |
| 12 | Committee appointed to report on pilgrimage | 140 |
| 13 | Conclaves of July, August and September suspended | 141 |
| 14 | Committee to nominate candidates for officers | " |
| 00 | Report of committee on nominations | |
| 15 | 3 deaths reported | |

1 The funeral of Sir Daniel Gregory was held at his late residence, 34 Leyland St., Dorchester, on Thursday, July 6. In accordance with his wish, expressed while living, the funeral service was rendered by the officers of the Commandery.

2 The funeral of Sir Horace O. Taylor was held at his late residence, No. 274 Commonwealth Avenue, Wednesday, July 19, at two o'clock P.M.

In accordance with the By-Laws Sir Knights Daniel W. Lawrence, Charles W. Parker, Wm. H. Guild, John Blackie, Henry Hall, and Alban Lovejoy, were appointed a committee to represent the Commandery.

3 The funeral of Sir Leander Miller Haskins was held at

4 The funeral of Sir George Herbert Picknell was held on Monday, July 24, at his late residence, No. 10, Isabella St. the service being conducted by the officers of Boston Commandery, which was opened at

Present
 E. Sir Richard A. Atwood, Commander
 Sir James S. Blake, Captain General
 Sir Oscar F. Allen, as Prelate,
 E. Sir J. Gilman Waite, Recorder,
 Sir Leonard W. Rose, Junior Warden
 Sir Francis H. Appleton, Third Guard
 Sir J. Frederick Sampson, Armorer
 Sir Thomas M. Carter, Musical Director
 Sir Charles W. Ward, Guard
 Sir Henry Jannet, per "
 Sir H. F. Reichtel, "
 Members

Sir William O. Rand,
 Sir Wilbur E. Davidson,
 Sir Geo. R. Spauld,

Car was taken to, and from the Temple.
 Lunch was served.
 The Commandery was closed in Due Form

A true record
 Attest: J. Gilman Waite
 Recorder

5 The funeral of Sir John Hartwell Lakin was held at the home of his sister 158 Summer St. Somerville, Mass on Wednesday, August 23, 1905, at eleven o'clock A.M.

The following named Sir Knights were appointed a committee to represent the Commandery at the service.

- Sir Daniel M. Lawrence,
- Sir Albert L. Richardson,
- Sir James S. Blake,
- Sir Eugene A. Holborn,
- Sir Leon M. Abbott,
- E. Sir John H. Bowker

Summary - September 1905

1	Funeral of Sir Daniel Gregory	1444
2	" " Horace P. Taylor	"
3	" " Landen M. Haskins	"
4	" " Geo. H. Picknill	145
5	" " John H. Lakin	146
6	E. " J. Francis Lotts	147

6 *Wyclune of Boston*
Commandery, S.D.
Masonic Temple, Boylston Street.
Boston, Friday September 8, 1905.
Special Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in due form at twelve o'clock and forty-five minutes, P.M., with the following organization:

- E. Sir Richard A. Alwood Commander
- Sir John A. Bell, as Generalissimo
- Sir James S. Blake Captain General
- Sir Geo. J. Penn D.D. Orator
- Sir Oscar H. Dean as Senior Warden
- Sir Henry F. Dean as Junior Warden
- Sir Thomas McCarter, as Recorder
- Sir Edgar F. Hunt, Sword Bearer
- Sir Josiah T. Dyer as Guard
- Sir Henry Samuel " "
- Sir David A. McDonald " "
- Sir William B. Hubbard " "
- Sir J. Frederick Sampson Armorer

Sir James P. Richardson,
Sir John H. North

Sir George W. Spence,
 Sir Oscar F. Allen,
 Sir John H. Howe,
 Sir William H. Stocker,
 Sir William R. H. Stash,
 Sir Charles L. Russell,
 Sir Wilbur E. Davison,
 Sir Allan C. Prescott,

O. Sir James M. Gleason,
 E. Sir Eugene A. Foltow,
 Sir Daniel M. Lawrence,
 Sir William F. Butler,

Wor. Past Master of Joseph Warren Lodge,
 were also present to represent that body.

The Em. Commander announced, that
 the Special Conclave had been called to
 attend the funeral service of our late
 Sir Knight, and Past Em. Commander,

Sir Jacob Francis Lotts,

which would be held at Watervan's
 Chapel, 2328 Washington Street, Roxbury
 at one thirty o'clock P.M.

The lines were formed and a
 Special car taken for the Chapel

At the close of the service, the remains were
 received, escorted, and committed to
 their final resting place in Cedar
 Grove Cemetery, Dorchester, the committal
 ceremony of the Order taking place at
 the grave.

The Sir Knights then resumed their car
 and returned to the Temple where the
 Commandery was closed in Due Form
 at _____ o'clock and they
 were dismissed.

A true record

Attest: J. Gilman Waite
 Recorder

In Memoriam

Sir Henry Cutting Hall.

Born in Lowell, Mass., July 24, 1841.

Raised a Master Mason in Mizpah Lodge.
Cambridge, Mass. December 8, 1879

Exalted in Cambridge Royal Arch Chapter.
Cambridge, Mass. June 11, 1880.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar.
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templars.
March 19, 1884.

Admitted to membership
March 19, 1884

Died at Muskegon, Michigan
Saturday, June 3,
1905.

In Memoriam

Sir Malcolm C. Greene

Born in

Raised a Master Mason.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar.
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templars.
May 19, 1869.

Admitted to Membership
September 15, 1869.

Died at Brookline, Mass.
Sunday, June 11
1908

A Life Member.

Arguing of Boston
Commandery, R. I.

Masonic Temple, Boston, Street.
Boston, Wednesday October 18, 1905.

Wellhampstead Annual Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was
opened in Due Form at six thirty o'clock.
P. M.

Officers present.

E. Sir Richard A. Atwood
Sir Charles S. Danwell
Sir James S. Blake

Compander
Invitationalissimo
Captain Inv.

Orate

Sir Isaac E. Ames
Sir Leonard M. Ross
Sir James D. Porinus
E. Sir J. Gilman Waite

Senior Warden
Junior Warden
Treasurer
Recorder

Sir Edgar F. Hart

Standard Bearer
Sword Bearer

Sir Francis H. Appleton
Sir Joseph R. Paul
Sir Almond E. Pope
Sir George S. Foster
Sir Edward C. Fitch
Sir Fred P. Hayward

Warden
Third Guard
Second Guard
First Guard
Guard

Sir Vernon M. Peirce

Guard

Sir Charles W. Ward

Sir J. Frederick Sampson

Armour

Sir Thomas M. Carter

Musical Director

Sir Edward F. Jacobs

Organist
Sentinel

2 Past Excellent Commanders present.

E. Sir James M. Gleason

E. Sir Charles S. Litchfield

E. Sir Henry K. Litchfield

E. Sir Eugene A. Hottow

E. Sir William O. Lawrence

E. Sir J. Gilman Waite

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Records

The record of the last Stated, and Special, con-
claves were read and approved.

4 Petitions for the order were received from:

Comp. John Andrew Lowrie von Otzen
a member of Northrop Lodge, and Northrop
Chapter of Northrop, Mass.
Recommended, and vouched for by Sir Francis
H. Appleton, and Sir David I. Donald
committee: Sir Charles A. Grant, Sir Mark Poole
Campbell, and Sir A. C. J. Pope

Comp. Kilburn Charles Brown.
 a member of Winthrop Lodge and Winthrop
 Chapter of Winthrop, Mass.
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir William
 E. Johnson and Sir Francis J. Appleton.
 Committee: Sir Frank W. Atwood, Sir John
 R. Neal and Sir David A. McDonald
 Comp. Russell Steenback, Carter.
 a member of St. John's Lodge and St. Andrews
 Chapter of Boston.
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir Edward
 F. Jacobs and Sir Wm. S. Heath
 Committee: Sir Leonard M. Rose, Sir John
 W. Houghton and Sir Edward Griffith

Comp. Louis Arnold Curtis.
 a member of Abundant Lodge and St. Pauls
 Chapter of Boston.
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir Wm.
 H. Guild and Sir Harry S. Howe.
 Committee: Sir Edward P. Upham, Sir James S.
 Blake and Sir Robert G. Tobey

5 Application for membership was received from

Sir Wilfred G. Brown
 a member of Plymouth Lodge and Samoset
 Chapter of Plymouth, Mass.
 Knighted Sir, and a member of, Old Colony

Commandery of Abington, Mass.
 Proposed by Sir Henry W. Litchfield.
 Committed: Sir James M. Cooper, Sir John M. Church-
 ill, Sir Percy F. Mellor.

6 The Records stated, that Sir George A. Perkins,
 who was suspended from membership Feb. 17, 1904,
 & P.D., had complied with the By-Laws, as
 provided in such cases, and requested to be
 reinstated to membership in the Commandery.

7 On motion, it was voted, unanimously, that
 Sir Knight George A. Perkins, be restored to
 good standing as a Knight Templar.

8 A ballot having been taken, Sir Knight Geo.
 A. Perkins, was declared to be restored to
 membership in Boston Commandery N.D.

9 In accordance with the vote of May 17,
 last, (§ 114), whereby action on certain names,
 of members who were delinquent in the pay-
 ment of their dues to the Commandery,
 was postponed, action was had upon the
 following names:

Sir James H. Jacobs,	owing	\$ 24.00
Sir William H. Lott,	"	24.00.
Sir Arthur M. Fayner,	"	24.00.
Sir Charles P. Tucker,	"	32.00.

and upon vote being taken they were, in each case, declared to be suspended from membership in the Commandery.

- 10 In accordance with Sect. 7, Art IV of the By-Laws, the Recorder then read the names of all the members who are in arrears for dues for one year or more, as follows:

Robt. F. Allen,	\$ 16.00	Alex. M. Robinson,	\$ 24.00,
H. Cleveland Beach,	16.00	Charles A. Sawyer,	16.00,
Albert F. Burditt,	16.00	Richmond L. Jones,	16.00,
Wm J. Burton,	16.00	Emercy F. Southwick,	24.00,
Edgar A. Cook,	16.00	Wm H. Stacy,	16.00,
Olis Eddy,	16.00	Joseph S. Stearns,	16.00,
Wm O. Fiske Jr.,	16.00	H. E. Stephenson,	16.00,
Lynman Fenn,	16.00	H. W. Stephenson,	16.00,
John D. Gale,	24.00	Myron J. Stetson,	16.00,
Henry H. Garrison,	16.00	Arthur Taylor,	16.00,
Abel Goddard,	16.00	Arthur F. Teet,	16.00,
Fredk. W. Gregory,	16.00	Edward M. Madeworth,	16.00,
Geo. E. Hall,	16.00	Geo. W. Walker,	16.00,
Isaac Harris,	16.00	L. Merton White,	16.00,
Joseph Hicks,	16.00	Harmon Wilder,	16.00,
Wm H. Keating,	16.00	Doris Young,	16.00,
James F. Leavitt,	16.00	Augustus F. Morse,	16.00,
Dwight F. Lygour,	16.00		
Wm A. Morse,	16.00	Thirty-eight.	
Lawrence Nordland,	16.00	Six per cent of those paying	
Edward L. Norris,	24.00	due Jan. 1, 1905.	

- 11 The Recorder announced the receipt of General Orders, Series 1904-1905, No. 7, of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, and read the following:

12 Grand Commandery of
Knights Templar
and the
Appendant Orders
of
Massachusetts and Rhode Island

Office of the P. E. Grand Commander
Malden, Mass., September 25, 1905

General Order No. 8,
Series of 1904-1905.

To the Officers and Members of the Grand
Commandery, and the Officers and
Members of Subordinate Commanderies.

In Sadness Greeting:

It is again my
sorrowful duty to announce the approach
of the new come messenger, bearing the
summons to one of our distinguished Sir
Knights, bidding him lay down the cares
and duties of Earth and embark upon that
voyage to the home from which no trav-
eler returns.

Right Eminent Sir Knight

James Sword
Past Grand Commander,
died at his home in Dorchester, (Mass.) August
29, 1905. He was born in Boston,
November 24, 1834, and was educated
in the public schools. He was a
Franklin Medal scholar of the Mayhew
School; a member of the Franklin Med-
al Association, and the Old School
Boys Association.

In 1848 he moved to Charlestown, where
he resided twenty-eight years, then to
Somerville and later to Dorchester where
he has since lived.

After leaving school, he was for a short time
in a wholesale Dry Goods House, and in
1854 he entered the Insurance business,
which has been his life work. He was em-
ployed by the Washington Fire and Marine
Insurance Co. of Boston, until ^{early} in the sixties,
when he became the Boston Manager for the
Columbian Marine Insurance Co. of New York.

He was Secretary of the ~~Fire~~ and ~~Marine~~
Insurance Co. at its formation and re-
mained with it until the Chicago fire of
1871. From 1872 until his death
he followed the insurance business as
Agent, broker and adjuster.

By the early records of the Boston Pro-

tective Department, it appears that for fourteen
years at least, he was a very active member.
In 1879 he was elected one of its nine directors; in
1881, its Vice President, and in November of
that year he was elected President to fill
a vacancy. Conducting the affairs of that
office with signal ability, he rendered mark-
ed service in bringing the active force of the
department to a high state of efficiency,
and was re-elected President each successive
year, until March 1888, when he voluntarily
withdrew, the directors causing to be entered
on the records by unanimous vote a resolu-
tion expressing their thanks to President
Sword for the efficient manner in which
he had administered the affairs of the department
during his term of service as President.

While a citizen of Charlestown, he was an
active figure in its affairs, both social and
political, and was a member of its City
Council in 1867 and 1868, serving as its
President during the latter year. While a
member he had the honor to participate
in the reception to President Johnson, who
visited Charlestown in connection with his
visit to Boston upon the laying the corner
stone of the Masonic Temple. He was a mem-
ber of the Charlestown City Guards before and du-
ring the Civil War, and was Chief Mar-

shal of the Seventeenth of June parade in 1871, when the Ninth New York Regiment participated in the parade.

Among the many other organizations of which he was a member was the old Dorchester Club, and was an Honorary Member of the Barnacoat-Spie Association.

He received the Symbolic degrees in Henry Prior Lodge, Charleston, in 1865, and became a Charter member of Faith Lodge, Charleston, in 1868. He served as Worshipful Master in 1872-3, and was elected an Honorary Member February 13, 1874.

He received the Capitular degrees in the Royal Arch Chapter of the Signet of Charleston in 1868, and continued a member of the Chapter until his death.

Rt. Em. Sir Knight Swords was created a Knight Templar in Hugh de Paysons Commandery of Melrose, Mass., March 9, 1870, and was elected Eminent Commander Sept. 12, 1877, and the following year, serving two terms.

In the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Mass. and Rhode Island he was elected and installed Grand Junior Warden in 1884; Grand Senior Warden in 1885; Grand Captain General, 1886; Grand Generalissimo

1887; Deputy Grand Commander, 1888; and Grand Commander in 1889.

He has been Grand Representative of the Grand Commandery of California near the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island since 1889. He was also an Honorary Member of Cambridge Commandery.

He was President of the Massachusetts and Rhode Island Association of Knights Templars Commanders from February 21, 1891 to January 20, 1893, and had been a member since June 1, 1881.

He received the grades in the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite, Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, 4th to 14th, in Lafayette Lodge of Perfection of Boston.

Though all arrangements had been perfected to enable Rt. Em. Sir Knight Swords to view the Centennial parade of the Grand Commandery May 24th last, and which he expected to be able to do up to the last moment, it was greatly to his disappointment and to that of his friends, that his failing strength prevented

His illness was a long and severe one, which he bore with a brave and patient spirit. For nine months he was confined to the house, scarcely able to walk, almost helpless, and for the last two months of his life, seldom able to leave his bed.

His was a happy disposition, and he will be remembered for his genial and joyous greeting upon all occasions. Energetic and forceful, he usually carried things in which he was interested by leaps and bounds rather than by slow and more quiet methods; and yet, in matters which needed care and thoughtfulness, he seemed to appreciate the situation, and arrived at decisions wisely, conservatively and honestly.

"So may he rest, his faults lie gently on him".

Funeral services were held at his late residence, September 1, conducted by Very Eminent Sir Knight Rev. Henry M. Rugg, and were attended by many of the Past Grand Commanders and officers of this Grand Commandery. After the service the body was escorted to the grave at Forest Hills by the Grand Commander and Right Eminent Sir Knights Saunders, Soule, and Hilton, Past Grand Commander, acting as pall bearers.

As a tribute of respect to our beloved Frater, it is hereby ordered that the banners, jewels and altars of this Grand Commandery be draped in mourning for sixty days, and that similar mourning be worn on the jewels, banners and altars of each Subordi-

nate Commandery for a like period.

This order will be read at the head of the lines in each body at the next Regular Conclave after its receipt and be spread in full upon the records.

Dana J. Flanders,
Grand Commander.



Attest:
C. W. Powell,
Grand Recorder.

13. The following deaths were announced:

Sir Malcolm G. Gagne (Suff. 141)	June 11, 1905
Sir Daniel Gagny	July 3, 1905
Sir Horace P. Payton	July 17, 1905
Sir George M. Dickson	July 21, 1905
Sir Lander M. Haskins	Aug. 1, 1905
Sir John M. Laker	Aug. 20, 1905
E. Sir Jacob Francis Lott	Sept. 5, 1905
Sir Albert S. Caswell	Oct. 15, 1905
Sir Charles Mann	Oct. 6, 1905
Sir Samuel B. Hilduth	Oct. 18, 1905

and a page of the Records was ordered to be inscribed to the memory of each Sir Knight.

1. Acknowledgements of floral tributes were received from the families of Sir Malcolm

15 O. Hunt, Sir George C. Picknell, and Sir
Horace P. Taylor, also Sir Leander M. Haskins
Armour.

In accordance with Sect. 13 of Art. IV of
the By-Laws, the Armour submitted his re-
port in writing which was received.

16 Records.

In accordance with Sect. 7, of Art. IV, the re-
corder read his annual report which was ac-
cepted.

17 Financial

The Standing Committee on Finance presented
the following:

Finance Committee's Report.

Asylum of Boston Commandery, K. T.
Masonic Temple,

Boston, Mass., October 18th, 1895.

Sir Knights:-

The Finance Committee beg leave to
submit the following report, showing the
condition of the Commandery on the 30th day of September,
1905.

Since the last annual report there have
been held nine, stated and ten special
conclaves.

The special conclaves were held as

follows:-

October 27th to attend the funeral of Sir Enoch
Paige, at his residence, 387 Columbus Avenue Boston

November 8th to attend the funeral of Sir Or-
lando D. Perry, at Somerville

November 27th to attend the funeral of Sir Jo-
seph H. Willaker, at Arlington

March 4th to attend the funeral of Sir Wil-
liam H. Williams, at Forest Hills

April 8th to attend the funeral of Sir John
Storr Jacob, at Forest Hills.

April 15th to attend the funeral of Sir
William E. Milk, at Dorchester.

May 22^d to confer the Obeds of the Temple
and Walls

May 24th to participate in the Centenni-
al Celebration and parade of the Grand
Commanders of the Knights Templars of
Massachusetts and Rhode Island

July 24th to attend the funeral of Sir
George C. Picknell, at his late residence, 10
Isabella St., Boston.

September 8th to attend the funeral
of Eminent Sir J. Francis Lotts, at
Roxbury.

During the year forty-one applica-
tions for the Obeds have been received,
thirty-eight of which were accepted

two rejected, and one returned for want of jurisdiction.

The Illustrious Order of the Red Cross has been conferred on thirty-nine Companions, and thirty-nine Companions of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross have been dubbed and created Knights of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, Knights Templars and Knights of Malta.

Membership

The number of members reported September 30th 1904, was 1001
members admitted during the year ending Sept. 30th 1905 39
affiliated from other Commanderies 2
reinstated 2

Making a total of 1044
From which there is to be deducted;
members dismissed during the year 3
" Suspended for non-payment of dues 4
" died 26 33

leaving a total membership
September 30th 1905 of 1011
a net gain of 10

The membership is divided as follows:
Honorary Members 12
Life " 353

Members paying Annual dues 646
Total 1011

Finances.

Recorder:

The Recorder has received the following amounts:

For Obedience \$307.5
" Membership 100.
" Life " 1200.
" Annual dues 4927.96
" rental of cases 234.
" Sale of seats on Grand Stand 440.
Total \$9976.96

all of which, he has been paid over to the Treasurer and holds his receipt for the same.

The amount of dues committed to the Recorder for collection was as follows:

Unpaid dues for the year 1901 \$ 8.00
" " " " 1902 56.00
" " " " 1903 820.00
" " " " 1904 2588.66

Dues received for the year ending
September 30th 1905 5080.00
" subsequently charged 219.25
" paid in advance 8.00
Total \$5307.25

which is accounted for as follows:

Cash for dues received,	\$4927.96
Dues remitted by the Commander,	112.00
" " Finance Committee,	336.00
" cancelled by dimit,	16.00
" " suspension,	104.00
" " death,	112.00
" remaining unpaid for the year 1902	8.00
" " " " 1903	90.00
" " " " 1904	432.00
" " " " 1905	2641.95
making a total as above	<u>\$8779.91</u>

Finances.

Treasurer.

The Treasurer had on hand at last	
Annual Report, September 30 th 1904	\$1909.04
Received from California pilgrimage	701.44
making	<u>\$2610.48</u>
Out of which has been paid for bills	
contracted during the year 1904	1414.50
leaving a balance of	<u>1195.98</u>
with which to begin the year	

He has received from the Recorder	
for dues	\$4927.96
" Orders	3075.00
" membership	100.00
" life membership	12.00

for rental of room	234.00
" sale of seats on Grand Stand	440.00
Char received from interest on deposits	4033
" " Trustee of Permanent Fund, income	2074.20
making a total of	<u>\$13287.40</u>

His disbursements for which he holds proper vouchers, and bills approved by the Finance Committee, have been as follows:-

For Rent,	3339.00
" Telephone,	30.00
" Insurance,	84.02
" Rent of Safe Deposit Vaults,	15.00
" Recorder's salary and copying Records,	437.50
" " engraving Diploma, Stationery & Sundries,	37.48
" Armour's salary, assistance and Sundries,	292.30
" Sentinel,	50.00
" Books, Stationery, printing and mailing notices,	746.25
" Music for Conclaves,	188.00
" Flowers,	20.00
" Illustrating Prelatis work,	40.00
" Collations and cigars,	1586.45
" addition of paraphernalia and Sundries	23.10
" Stamps and Sundries by the Commander	8.15
" " " " Treasurer	5.86
" Cases purchased	30.00
" Charities	315.22
Funeral expenses	
" Notifications	<u>\$84.12</u>

Advertising death notices,	28.00
Flowers,	230.00
Lunches and cigars,	125.45
Cars and fares,	61.20
Music,	150.00
Armory,	<u>40.00</u>
	718.77

Centennial Celebration of the
Grand Commandery, May 24th.

Printing notices, postage and program	\$54.50
Halls for duty and reception	354.50
Grand Stand	475.00
Decorations	60.00

Collations and cigars and lunches of ladies on Grand Stand	1103.24
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Music R.R. fares, and hotel ex- penses for Bands	240.00
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Special Cars for guests	15.00
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Carriage for Past Em. Commanders	10.00
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Armory	<u>30.00</u>
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Grand Commandery dues	2447.75
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Fees returned	225.00
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Trustees of Permanent Fund	
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for Life Memberships	1200.00
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Trustees of Permanent Fund	
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and bulk of income	791.00
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Balance cash on hand in	
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Boylston National Bank	
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Total

1997.2
13287.40

The assets of the Commandery consist of unpaid
dues amounting to 3171.95
Cash in Boylston National Bank 199.72
Unexpended Army Fund 58.60
In addition to which is the Perma-
nent Fund of 53,287.69
fully described in the report of the
Trustees.

The burial lot at Mt. Hope Cemetery,
and the furniture and sundries
itemized in the Armory report.

There are no liabilities.

Dues recommended to the Recorder for collection:

Dues unpaid for 1902	8.00
" " " 1903	90.00
" " " 1904	432.00
" " " 1905	2641.95
" assessed for the year 1906	5160.00
Total	<u>8331.95</u>

Very respectfully submitted

Richard A. Atwood (Finance
Charles S. Danrell } Committee
James S. Blake }

On motion, it was voted: That the report of
of the Finance Committee be accepted
and spread upon the Records

18 The following report was submitted.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 18, 1905.

To the Officers and Members of

Boston Commandery of Knights Templars;
The Trustees of "The Permanent Fund
of Boston Commandery of Knights Templars."
submit the following report:

Receipts.

Balance on hand	1852.90
Int. Concord & Montreal R.R.,	200.00
" City of Boston	160.00
" Phila. & G. Grand S. Co.,	120.00
" Denver & Rio Grande R.R.,	120.00
" Baltimore & Ohio R.R.,	120.00
" Atchison & S. Fe R.R.,	400.00
" Am. Bell Telephone Co.,	240.00
" Chicago O. & L. R.R.,	380.00
" Pere Marquette R.R.,	60.00
" Chicago R. I. & Pa. R.R.,	40.00
" Everett Property	111.00
" Medford Savings Bank	5.00
" Peoples & Exchange Bank	6.00
" Principal, Everett Property	1250.00

Chicago, O. & L. Bond #1315	1000.00
drawn for payment	
Life Membership	1200.00
1/10 of Annual Receipts	791.83
	<u>8168.93</u>

Distributions

Deposit in Medford Savings Bank	556.00
Peoples National Bank	
Two One thousand Dollar Bonds	
Pere Marquette Railroad, 4%	
Due Jan 1, 1955 at .93 1/2	2815.00

Peoples National Bank	
Two One thousand Dollar Bonds, 4%	
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific R.R. at .96 1/2	1962.00

Income of Permanent Fund	2074.20
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Balance on hand deposited	
in the Peoples National Bank	<u>1262.12</u>
	<u>8168.93</u>

The Permanent Fund of Boston
Commandery, K. T. consists of:

Two One thousand Dollar Bonds, 4%
Atchison & Topeka R.R.
Principal due Oct. 1, 1995,

Interest due April 1st and Oct. 1st,
Nos. 107001 to 107110 inclusive 1000000

Five One Thousand Dollar Bonds 4.5.
Chicago Burlington & Quincy
Principal due Feb. 1, 1922.
Interest due Feb. 1st and Aug. 1st
Nos. 2154, 2071, 2852, 2919, 2922,
7368, 4174, 5769, 6459. 900000

Six One Thousand Dollar Bonds 4.5
American Bell Telephone
Principal due July 1, 1908.
Interest due Jan. 1st and July 1st
Nos. ~~904, 905, 1098, 1099, and 1100~~
" 6121 to 6126 inclusive 600000

Five One Thousand Dollar Bonds, 4.5.
Concord & Montreal R.R.
Principal due June 1, 1920
Interest due June 1st and December 1st
Nos. 904, 905, 1098, 1099, 1100 50000

Three One Thousand Dollar Bonds, 4.5.
Baltimore & Ohio P.R. Co.
Principal due July 1, 1948
Interest due April 1st and Oct. 1st
Nos. M.25121, M.25122, M.25123. 30000

Three One Thousand Dollar Bonds 4.5
Reading Co. & Phila. & Reading Coal & Iron Co.
Principal due Jan. 1, 1947.
Interest due January 1st and July 1st
Nos. M.2962, M.59574, M.59575. 300000

Three One Thousand Dollar Bonds, 4.5
The Maquette Railroad Co.
Principal due Jan. 1, 1945
Interest due January 1st and July 1st
Nos. 5170, 5171, 5172. 300000

Two One Thousand Dollar Bonds, 4.5
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific R.R.
Principal due Apr. 1st 1934
Interest due April 1st and October 1st
Nos. 20550, 20551 200000

One City of Boston Registered Bond, 4%
Due April 1st 1911.
Certificate to. 6753
Interest due April 1st and Oct. 1st 400000

Deposit in Medford Savings Bank 1525.00

Mortgage of Robt E. Duffin, 136 Harvard
St. Everett, Mass.
Principal due Apr. 16, and Nov. 16th
4 1/2 % 250000

Deposit in Peoples National Bank 1262.12

Then One thousand U. Dollar Bonds

Deviou & Pro Gaud 4% 3000.00
53287.69

The Eminent Commander has lately visited the lot at Mount Hope and reported the same in good order.

Courteously yours,

Richard A. Atwood

James D. Porimus, Treas.

in motion, it was voted; That the report of the Trustees be accepted and spread upon the Records.

19 In motion, it was Voted: That the Commandery proceed to an election of officers for the ensuing year.

20 The committee on nominations submitted the following report:
To the Eminent Commander,
Officers and Members of Boston

Commandery K.T.

Sir Knights: The Committee appointed to nominate a list of candidates for officers for the ensuing Templar year have attended to their duty and beg leave to report as follows:

For Eminent Commander, Emt. Sir Richard A. Atwood,
For Generalissimo, Sir Charles S. Darnall,
For Captain General Sir James S. Blake,
For Pilate Sir Geo. L. Connell,
For Senior Warden Sir Jesse E. Ames,
For Junior Warden Sir Leonard M. Ross,
For Treasurer Sir Oscar F. Allen,
For Recorder Emt. Sir J. Gilman Waite,
For Trustee for the year Sir John S. Darnall

Courteously Submitted.

Thomas J. Emery

Warren O. Ellis,

Davis T. Keown,

William P. Rand,

William L. Baker.

Boston, Oct. 2, 1905.

In connection with the foregoing report, the Chairman of the committee read a letter from Sir James D. Porimus, who, for the past six years, had served the Commandery as Treasurer, declining a reelection to that office.

21 Eminent Sir James M. Gleason was invited to assume the Chair for the purpose of conducting the election

Em. Sir Gleason appointed the following Galleys:

1 Sir John H. North,
Sir Edward C. Steel,
Sir John P. Teehan.

2 Sir Thomas J. Olyp,
Sir John P. Newman,
Sir Josiah T. Dyer.

Whole number of votes cast for Eminent Commanda was 127
E. Sir Richard A. Atwood had 127
and was unanimously elected.

For Generalissimo.
Whole number cast was 129
Sir Charles J. Danmull had 129
and was unanimously elected.

For Captain General
Whole number cast was 122
Sir James S. Blake had 122
and he was unanimously elected.

For Prelate.
Whole number cast was 124
Sir Rev. George L. Perin D.D. had 121
and he was elected.

For Senior Warden
Whole number cast was 122
Sir Jesse E. Ames had 122
and he was unanimously elected.

For Junior Warden.
Whole number cast was 125
Sir Leonard W. Ross had 125
and was unanimously elected.

For Treasurer.
Whole number cast was 123
Sir Oscar F. Allen had 123
and was unanimously elected.

For Recorder
Whole number cast was 124
Em. Sir J. Gilman Waite had 121
and he was elected.

For Trustee of the Permanent Fund
Whole number cast was 123
Sir John S. Danmull had 119
and he was elected.

at the conclusion of the ballot for Eminent Commander, Em. Sir Gleason appointed a committee, consisting of the Past Eminent Commanders present, in the order of their service, to wait upon and present the Eminent Commander elect in the Commandery.

The committee attended to the duty assigned to it, presenting the Eminent Commander elect in the East when Em. Sir Gleason, in well chosen words, announced to Em. Sir Atwood, his unanimous election, congratulated him upon the harmony that had manifested itself at the close of a year's service, and expressed a hope for its continuance.

Em. Sir Atwood, with much sincerity and depth of feeling, thanked the Commandery for this renewed expression of its confidence, and esteem, and pledged his best efforts in the performance of any duty that he might be called to discharge in its behalf.

22- At nine o'clock and twenty-five minutes, E. Sir Charles E. Pierce, Grand Master of the Grand Commandery of Mass. and P. J. announced the presence of P. Em. Dana J. Flanders, Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery,

for the purpose of installing the officers elected, and appointed, for the ensuing year.

23 The Em. Commander appointed a committee consisting of all Past Em. Commanders present, with ^{Em. Sir} James M. Gleason, Chairman, to wait upon and escort the P. E. Grand Commander into the Asylum.

The committee attended to its duty, and the P. E. Grand Commander received a knightly welcome from Em. Sir Atwood by whom he was escorted to the East under an arch of steel.

24 Em. Sir Richard A. Atwood, having been duly installed Eminent Commander of the Commandery, announced the following as his appointments:

For Standard Bear	
" Sword Bear	Sir Edgar F. Hunt.
" Warden,	Sir Frederick C. Graves.
" Third Guard	Sir Francis M. Appleton.
" Second Guard	Sir Joseph T. Paul.
" First Guard	Sir Albert C. J. Pope.
" Guard	Sir George S. Foster.
" "	Sir Edward C. Hatch.
" "	Sir Fred. P. Hayward.
" "	Sir Vernon M. Peice.

For Guard	Sir Charles W. Ward
" Armory	Sir Fred M. Laughlin
" Musical Director	Sir J. Frederick Sampson
" Organist	Sir Thomas M. Carter
" Sentinel	Sir E. ben H. Pailey
	Sir Edward F. Jacobs

E. Sir Atwood then resigned the East to the P. E. Grand Commander, who proceeded to install the remaining elected and appointed officers, as follows:

Sir Hails I. Daniels	Generalissimo
Sir James I. Blake	Captain General
	Orillate
Sir John E. Ames	Senior Warden
Sir Leonard W. Ross	Junior Warden
Sir Oscar F. Allen	Treasurer
E. Sir J. Simon White	Recorder
	Standard Bearer
Sir Edgar F. Hunt	Sword Bearer
	Warden
Sir Francis H. Appleton	Third Guard
Sir Joseph T. Paul	Second Guard
Sir Amund C. J. Pope	Trust Guard
Sir George S. Foster	Guard
Sir Edward O. Hatch	
Sir Fred. P. Hayward	
Sir Vernon M. Pearce	

Sir Charles W. Ward	Guard
Sir J. Frederick Sampson	Armory
Sir Thomas M. Carter	Musical Director
	Organist
Sir Edward F. Jacobs	Sentinel

and proclamation was made, that the officers of Boston Commandery, with the exception of Orillate, Standard Bearer, Warden, our Guard, and Organist had been duly installed into their respective stations, and that the Commandery was legally organized for the despatch of business.

25 The Em. Commander, on assuming the East, tendered the thanks of the Commandery to Em. Sir James M. Gleason, who had presided at the election, and P. E. Sir Dana J. Hander, who, assisted by E. Sir Charles E. Price, as Grand Warden, had installed the officers for the ensuing year.

26 In the matter of the proposed amendment to the By. Laws, as recorded pp 95-97, which was returned by the Grand Commandery at its Semi-Annual Conclave, in May, with certain verbal changes to be accepted by the Commandery, before approval.

the Grand Commandery, it was voted that the changes, as recommended, be adopted, with the exception of the one in the last line thereof, changing the word "address" to "residence" which was not adopted.

- 27 On motion, it was Voted; That the Council, and such as the Eminent Commander may appoint, be a committee to take into consideration the feasibility of holding a "Ladies' night" during the coming winter, and report upon the matter at the next Conclave of the Commandery.

Subsequently, the following Sir Knights were added to the Council, on the committee:

Sir Rev. Geo. L. Perin D.D.

Sir Jesse E. Ames,

Sir Leonard W. Rose,

Sir Oscar F. Allen

& Sir J. Gilman Waite.

At ten o'clock and thirty minutes the Commandery was closed in Due Form, the Grand Commander taken under escort, and the Sir Knights repaired to the Banquet Hall.

A true record.

Attest

J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

28

The funeral of Sir Albert C. Caswell was held at his late residence, 25 Woodville St. Roxbury, Tuesday October 17, 1901, at two thirty o'clock P.M.

Sir Knights:

Walter H. Boyden,

Edward O. Upham,

William H. Gullett,

Henry C. Gill

Otis Eddy,

were appointed a committee to represent the Commandery.

29 The funeral of Sir Charles Mann was held at his late residence 26 Hawthard St. Roxbury on Thursday October 19, 1905 at two thirty o'clock P.M.

30 The funeral of Sir Samue O. Hildreth was held at his late residence, 30 Port Norfolk St. Neponset, on Saturday, Oct 21, 1905, at three o'clock P.M. Sir Knights

Thomas F. Temple

James P. Sherman

Samuel Crocker

Harry G. Howe

Fred W. Abbott and Wm P. P. were appointed a committee to represent the Commandery.

In Memoriam Sir Daniel Gregory.

Born in

Raised a Master Mason in St. Johns Lodge Boston, Mass.

Erected a Royal Arch Mason in St. Pauls Royal Arch Chapter Boston, March 28, 1871.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, a Knight Templar, in Boston Commandery of Knights Templars, August 16, 1871.

Admitted to Membership.
September 20, 1871.

Died at Roxbury, Mass.
Monday July 3
1905

a Life Member

In Memoriam

Sir Horace P. Taylor

Born in Newfane, Vt. August 25, 18

Raised a Master Mason in Joseph Warren
Lodge, Boston, April 28, 1867Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrews
P. A. Chapter, Boston, June 5, 1867Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
February 19, 1868.Admitted to membership
May 20, 1868Died at Boston, Mass.
Monday July 17
1905

a Life Member

In Memoriam

Sir George Herbert Picknell

Born in Roxbury Mass., August 22, 1856

Raised a Master Mason in Union Lodge,
Dorchester, Mass., June 14, 1898.Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Dorchester
Royal Arch Chapter, Dorchester Mass., Jan. 27, 1902Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
December 11, 1902Admitted to membership
December 11, 1902Died at Boston, Mass.
Friday, July 21, 1905

a Life Member

In Memoriam

Sir Lauder Miller Haskins

Born in Rockport Mass. June 20, 1847—

Raised a Master Mason in Lafayette Lodge,
Washington, D.C. July 6, 1865.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Washington
Royal Arch Chapter, Salem, Mass. Apr. 22, 1866.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar
in

Admitted to Membership
November 11, 1869

Died at Rockport, Mass.
Tuesday August 1
1905

In Memoriam

Sir John Hartwell Lakin

Born in

Raised a Master Mason in

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Paul's
Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, December 8, 1871.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar,
May 2, 1872

Admitted to Membership
June 19, 1872

Died at Falmouth Heights, Mass.
Sunday August 20
1905

In Memoriam

O. Si Jacob Francis Lotts.

Born in Boston, Mass. July 19, 1825

Raised a Master Mason in Lafayette Lodge, No. 64,
New York City. October 20, 1855.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Paul's
Royal Arch Chapter Boston, February 21, 1860.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple;
a Knight Templar;
in Boston Commander of Knights Templar
January 11, 1865.

Admitted to Membership
February 15, 1865

Eminent Commander, 1886.- 1888

Died in Dorchester Mass.
Tuesday, September 5,
1905.

In Memoriam

Si Albert Smith Caswell

Born in Harrison, Maine June 12, 1839

Raised a Master Mason in Massachusetts
Lodge Boston, Mass. March 17, 1890

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Dorchester
Royal Arch Chapter Dorchester, Mass. Oct. 12, 1891.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple;
a Knight Templar.
in Boston Commander of Knights Templar
December 16, 1896

Admitted to Membership
December 16, 1896.

Died at Foxburg, Mass.
Sunday October 15,
1905.

a. Life Member

In Memoriam
Sir Charles Mann

Born in Boston November 11, 1844

Raised a Master Mason in Columbian Lodge
Boston, Mass. June 2, 1897.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St Andrew's
Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, March 1,

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templars
June 21, 1882.

Admitted to Membership
June 21, 1882.

Died at Newton, Mass
Monday October 16
1905

In Memoriam
Sir Samuel Benjamin Kildreth

Born in Boston, Mass. July 25, 1825.

Raised a Master Mason in Union Lodge
Dorchester, Mass. January 19, 1864.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St Andrew's
Royal Arch Chapter, February 7, 1866.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templars
April 13, 1866.

Admitted to Membership,
September 19, 1866.

Died at Weymouth, Mass.,
Wednesday, October 18
1905

The funeral of Sir William Albut Brownlow was held at his late residence, 41 Addington Road, Brookline, Thursday, Nov. 2, at two o'clock P.M. The following committee was notified to represent the Commandery.

Sir James S. Blake,
 Sir George E. Savory,
 Sir Elbridge M. Rawson,
 Sir G. Howard Jones,
 Sir Frank W. Ames

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Asylum of Boston
 Commandery, N. T., Boston,

Tuesday November 1. 1905
 Masonic Temple, Boylston Street.

Special Conclaves

A Commandery of Knights Templars was
 opened at twelve o'clock M. with the
 following organization.

E. Sir Richard A. Atwood,	Commander
E. Sir Charles S. Litchfield, as	Generalissimo
Sir James S. Blake,	Captain General
Sir Geo. George L. Perin,	Orator
_____	Senior Warden
Sir Leonard W. Ross,	Junior Warden
_____	Treasurer
E. Sir J. Gilman Waite	Recorder
_____	Standard Bearer
Sir Edgar F. Hunt	Sword Bearer
Sir Francis H. Appleton	as Warden
Sir Joseph T. Paul	Second Guard
Sir George S. Foster	Guard
Sir Franklin C. Russell	"
Sir Charles W. Ward	"
Sir Fred. H. McLaughlin	"

Sir Israel E. Decrow	as Guard
Sir William B. Holmes	"
Sir Henry Samuels	"
Sir Thomas J. Phelps	"
Sir J. Frederick Sampson	Armed
Sir Thomas McCarter	Musical Director
Sir Eben H. Bailey	Organist
_____	Sentinel

Past Commanders present.
 E. Sir Charles S. Litchfield
 E. Sir Eugene A. Holton
 E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield
 E. Sir J. Gilman Waite
 E. Sir Rinaldo E. Richardson

Sir Knights in Uniform

Sir Horace P. Blackman,	Sir Wm F. Gaddet,
Sir Nelson Beckwith,	Sir A. F. Dechtel,
Sir Walter W. Bryden,	Sir John A. Bell,
Sir James Dean,	Sir Edward E. Chick,
Sir Fred. H. Capper,	Sir Josiah T. Dyre,
Sir John A. Collicott,	Sir Wilbur E. Davison,
Sir George A. Griffith,	Sir George R. Farrell,
Sir Joseph J. Hewes,	Sir John H. Houghton,
Sir Wm. D. Hubbard,	Sir John Holmstrom,
Sir John H. Howe,	Sir Ezekiah M. Laughlin,
Sir D. A. McDonald	Sir Chas. S. Montgomery
Sir Frank J. Nowell	Sir Augustus F. Koubel

Sir Allan Prescott,	Sir Geo E. Pratt,
Sir James P. Richardson,	Sir Charles L. Russell,
Sir H. L. Purdy,	Sir Alfred. Seaw,
Sir Wm H. Stocker,	Sir Alex M. Robinson,
Sir Edwin A. Stone,	Sir James Ray,
Sir Herbert E. Wheat,	Sir Walter E. Hyman.
Sir Bartholomew M. Young	- 60 -

Sir Knights not in Uniform

Sir Wm T. Cheswell,	Sir Elijah P. Hine
Sir Wm D. Pack,	Sir Abner A. Folsom
Sir Geo. E. Atwood,	Sir Saml. F. Hubbard--
Sir John McGaw,	Sir Fredk L. Prigge
Sir Walter R. Dyce,	Sir Francis E. Page
Sir Charles H. Marks	11

The Eminent Commandu stated, that a Special Conclave had been called for the purpose of attending the funeral services of our late Sir Knight,

John S. Danmull.
at the First M. E. Church, on Temple St. Boston, at 12-30 P.M.

The lines were formed and a Special Car taken.

An eloquent, and most fitting eulogy upon the life and character of the deceased, was pronounced by

the Rev. Frank Hamittow, Pastor of the Church, after which, the Knight Templar burial service was given by the officers of the Commandery.

The funeral was attended by a large number of friends, noticable among whom were the representations of different organizations to which the deceased had belonged, the largest being from the Fire Department of which he was formerly Chief.

At the close of the service, the remains were escorted a short distance, when the Commandery was formed in line, the Sir Knights standing at present as the remains passed on their way to "Forest Hills"

The Sir Knights then returned to the Temple by their Special Car, when the Commandery was closed, and the lines dismissed at two o'clock, and fifty minutes P.M.

A true record,

Attest:

J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

Asylum of Boston Commandery, K. T.,

Masonic Temple Boylston Street,

Boston, Wednesday,
November 15, 1905.

Special Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templar was opened at twelve o'clock and thirty minutes P. M. with the following organization:-

E. Sir Richard A. Alwood.	Commander
E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield	as Generalissimo
Sir James L. Blake	Captain General
Sir Rev. Geo. L. Perin D.D.	Prelate
Sir Henry Samuel	as Senior Warden
_____	Junior Warden
Sir Oscar F. Allen	Treasurer
E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield	as Recorder
Sir Charles W. Ward	Guard
Sir Franklin E. Russell	as " "
Sir John Holmstrom	as " "
Sir Ezekiah M. Laughlin	as " "
Sir Frederick Sampson	Armorer
Sir Thomas M. Carter	Musical Director

Sir Knights present:

Sir Walter W. Boyden,	Sir Enoch Beane,
Sir Horace P. Blackman,	Sir Wm. W. Gattlet,
Sir N. F. Bechtel,	Sir Edward E. Chick,
Sir George R. Farrell,	Sir Almand L. Eastman,
Sir Vilbur E. Davison,	Sir William C. Holmes,
Sir Oscar H. Pearl,	Sir Henry F. Pearl,
Sir Thos. J. Phelps,	Sir Charles L. Russell,
Sir James C. Richardson,	Sir James Fay,
Sir Edwin A. Stone,	Sir Wm. H. Stocker,
Sir George G. Matton,	Sir O. M. Young,
Sir David A. McDonald,	Sir Allan C. Ingham,

The Eminent Commander announced that the Special Conclave had been to attend the funeral of our late Sir Knight, Charles E. Russell, which would be held at Rhodes Memorial Chapel, in Pine Grove Cemetery, Lynn.

At twelve o'clock and thirty-five minutes, the lines were formed, and a special car taken which arrived at the Chapel at one o'clock and fifty minutes, the service commencing at two o'clock. It was conducted by the officers of the Commandery.

At two o'clock and forty minutes the lines were formed, the Sir Knights standing at salute as the friends of the deceased passed, with his remains on the way.

to the grave. At two o'clock and fifteen minutes resumed their car and returned to the Temple arriving at the Temple at four o'clock and fifteen minutes. At four o'clock and twenty minutes the Communion was closed and they were dismissed.

Lunch was served.

The foregoing record is made from notes furnished by Em Sir Henry H. Litchfield, and Sir J. Fredk. Sampson.

Attest: J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

Assembly of Boston Commandery, A. T.

Masonic Temple,

Boston, Wednesday Nov. 15, 1905

Stated Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templar was opened in Due Form at six o'clock P.M.

Officers present.

E. Sir Richard A. Atwood,	Commander
Sir Charles S. Danrell,	Generalissimo
Sir James S. Blake,	Captain General
Sir Rev. George L. Perini, D.D.	Prelate
Sir Jesse E. Ames,	Senior Warden
Sir Leonard W. Ross,	Junior Warden
Sir Oscar F. Allen,	Treasurer
E. Sir J. Gilman Waite	Recorder
Sir Edgar F. Hunt,	Sword Bearer
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Sir Francis H. Appleton,	Third Guard
Sir Joseph S. Paul,	Second Guard
Sir Ahmend C. J. Pope,	First Guard
Sir George S. Porter	Guard
Sir Edward C. Hatch,	"
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Sir Vernon M. Peice	"

Sir Franklin E. Russell	Guard
Sir J. Frederick Sampson	Armour
Sir Thomas M. Carter	Musical Director
Sir Edward F. Jacobs	Sustained

- 2 Past Eminent Commanders present.
 E. Sir James M. Gleason.
 E. Sir Charles S. Litchfield.
 E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield.
 E. Sir J. Gilman Waite.

- 3 Reports were received from the committees on the applications of

Comp. John Andrew Lowell von Betzen,
 Comp. Kilburn Charles Brown,
 Comp. Russell Steenback Carter

and ballots taken, which proved to be clear, and they were declared to be elected to receive the Obedience of Knighthood in Boston Commandery, N. S.

- 4 Reports of the committee on the petition of Comp. Louis Arnold Gustis were received, but, upon ballot being taken, his petition was declared to be rejected.

- 5 At six o'clock and forty minutes the business

of the Commandery was suspended, and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened for the reception of candidates, and a portion of the Obedience was conferred upon
 Comp. John Andrew Lowell von Betzen,
 Comp. Kilburn Charles Brown,
 Comp. Russell Steenback Carter

- 6 At seven o'clock and forty minutes the Council of the Red Cross was closed, and the business of the Commandery was resumed.

- 7 Records
 The Record of the annual convocation, and the special convocation for 1, were read and declared approved.

- 8 Application for Membership was received from:

Sir Edgar H. Whitney
 A member of Artisan Lodge and North Star Chapter of Wincendon Mass
 Knighted in and admitted from Jerusalem Commandery of Fitchburg Mass.
 Recommended by Sir Francis H. Appleton.
 Committee: Sir Geo. W. Hawley, Sir Wm. A. Mumford, E. Sir J. Gilman Waite

- 9 The Recorder stated that Sir James F. Kenny was signed on the books, and had re-

granted a dimit in the manner prescribed. It was ordered, that a certificate of dimit be issued to Sir Knight Henry.

- 10 The E. Commander stated that, he had requested the committee, appointed to nominate candidates for election as officers at the annual conclave, to present a name to be balloted on for Trustee of the Permanent Fund. To fill the vacancy caused by the death of Sir Knight, John S. Darnell, and that committee submitted the following report:

- 11 To the Eminent Commander,
Officers and Members of
Boston Commandery N. 1.
Sir Knights:

The committee appointed to nominate a candidate to fill the vacancy in the Board of Trustees of the Permanent Fund, caused by the death of Sir John S. Darnell, have attended to their duties and by leave to present the name of
Em. Sir James M. Gleason.
Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) Thomas J. Emery
Warren O. Ellis.
Wm. O. Rand

Davis J. Keen,
Wm. L. Baker.
Boston November 13. 1905.

- 12 On motion, Voted, That the report of the committee be accepted, and, that the Commander proceed to a ballot.

- 13 The Em. Commander appointed Sir Knights, the Senior and Junior Wardens as tellers.

Whole number of votes cast 152
Em. Sir James M. Gleason had 152
and was unanimously elected.

Em. Sir Gleason, being present, accepted the trust, thanking the Sir Knights for this renewed expression of confidence and esteem.

- 14 The Recorder announced the receipt, from the Grand Commander, of Official Circular, No. 1, Series 1905-1906, also. General Orders, Series 1905-1906, No. 2., which were ordered to be placed on file.

- 15 The Recorder read acknowledgements from the families of our late Sir Knights Charles Mann and John S. Darnell, the latter

bring as follows:

Dover Massachusetts.

November 14, 1905.

Richard A. Alwood

Eminent Commander.

Dear Sir and Sir Knight.

Please extend to the fraternal of
Dover Commandery our deepest sense of ap-
preciation for the great mark of respect and
knighly affection paid the memory of our
father on the occasion of his funeral services
held on Tuesday last at the Temple Street
Church, and for the floral token sent by
the Commandery.

It was with feelings of deepest sorrow and
anguish we realized ^{that his} face and voice
were forever lost to us, and the knowl-
edge that he had so endeared himself
to the Commandery he so loved and enjoyed
while in life, helped to console us in the
hour of our great affliction.

We will ever cherish the thought and
knowledge that our Masonic home was his and
that its welfare was near his heart, that his
devotion to its interests never flagged,
and his memory will constantly fill our
thoughts and urge us on, and stimu-
late us to greater efforts in knighly
devotion to its welfare.

His last hours were made happier by the
counters of a re-election, as Trustee, when
you knew his condition would permit him
to give but little attention to the duties of
the office.

Fraternally Yours

John E. S. Darnell.
Charles S. Darnell.

- 16 The following deaths were announced, and a
page of the records ordered to be inscribed
to the memory of each Sir Knight.

Sir Wm. A. Brownlow,

October 30, 1905

Sir John S. Darnell

November 3, 1905

Sir Charles O. Darnell

November 12, 1905

- 17 The committee, appointed to consider,
and report "relative to a pilgrimage to the
shores of the Mediterranean" presented a
lengthy report and on motion it was
voted that it be received and placed
on file.

- 18 On motion it was voted: That the matter of
cavassing the Commandery for the purpose
of ascertaining the number who desire to,
and will, participate in the pil-

pilgrimage, as described in the committee's report, be referred to the same committee, said committee to report to the Commandery.

19 The Eminent Commander, in behalf of the committee appointed to consider the feasibility of holding a "Ladies Night" during the coming winter, made oral report: That, in the opinion of the committee, it is desirable to hold a "Ladies Night" early in the winter.

20 On motion, it was Voted: That the report be accepted, its recommendation adopted, and. That the Council be given full power to make arrangements for a Ladies Night in accordance with the report of the committee, also: to have full power to increase the committee.

21 On motion, it was Voted: That a committee be appointed to procure and present a jewel of a Past Eminent Commander to Em. Sir Richard A. Atwood at the next Stated Conclave of the Commandery.

22 Em. Sir James M. Gleason

Sir John H. North
Sir Herbert A. Rhoades
were appointed the committee

23 On motion, it was Voted: That a committee be appointed, to take into consideration what course Boston Commandery should take relative to attending the next Triennial Conclave of the Grand Encampment, Knights Templar, U.S.A., at Saratoga N.Y. in 1907

24 Subsequently the following Sir Knights were appointed the Committee:

Sir Charles S. Dammell,
Sir James S. Blake,
Sir Jesse E. Ames

25 At nine o'clock and fifteen minutes the business of the Commandery was again suspended and work resumed in the Council of the Red Cross, and Companions.

John Andrew Lowell von Otzen,
Gilburn Charles Brown,
Russell Steenback Foster
were Created, and Constituted Companions of the Illustrious Order of the Red

Cross in Due Form, and with full ceremony

26 At nine o'clock and fifty minutes the Council of the Red Cross was closed and business resumed in the Commandery

At nine o'clock and fifty-five minutes, no further business appearing, the Commandery was closed in Due Form, the lines formed, and the Sir Knights repaired to the Banquet Hall

Sir Knights in uniform	36
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a true record.

Attest: J. Simon Waite
Recorder

In Memoriam

Sir William Albert Crowlow.

Born in Cambridge, Mass. May 19, 1854

Raised a Master Mason in Abundant Lodge, Boston, February 10, 1886

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Paul's Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, November 21, 1893.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, a Knight Templar, in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar, February 21, 1894.

Admitted to Membership, February 21, 1894

Died at Brookline, Mass.
Monday, October 30
1905

a Life Member

In Memoriam.

Sir John Stanhope Damrell.

Born in Boston, Mass., June 29, 1828.

Raised a Master Mason in Mt. Tabor
Lodge, East Boston, October 24, 1853.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Paul's
Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, April 27, 1854.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar.
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
December 26, 1854.

Admitted to Membership
January 17, 1855

Died in Boston, Mass.
Friday November 3, 1905

Our Senior Member

In Memoriam

Sir Charles Otis Burrill

Born in Lynn, Mass., September 24, 1835

Raised a Master Mason in Mt. Lebanon
Lodge, Boston, Mass., November 8, 1864.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrews
Royal Arch Chapter Boston, June 5, 1867.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar.
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
February 19, 1868

Admitted to Membership
May 20, 1868

Died at Dorbury, Mass.
Sunday November 12, 1905.

a Life Member.

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In Memoriam

Bro William Arthur Wilson

Born in St. Andrews, N.B., May 12, 1857

Raised a Master Mason in Folland Lodge Boston, Mass., March 10, 1892.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrews Royal Arch Chapter Boston, Mass., June 1, 1892.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, a Knight Templar, in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar, June 15, 1892.

Admitted to Membership, June 15, 1902.

Died in Boston, Mass., Thursday, December 14, 1905.

In Memoriam

Sir Stark Henry Davis

Born in Derry, N.H. April 20, 1845

Raised a Master Mason in Joseph Warren
Lodge, Boston, Mass., June 23, 1868Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Mt. Vernon
Royal Arch Chapter, Roxbury, June 16, 1870.Dubbed and created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar,
February 21, 1872.Admitted to Membership
March 20, 1872Died at Somerville, Mass.,
Monday, December 18,
1905

A Life Member.

In Memoriam.

Sir Frank Seiders Brown.

Born in Salmon Falls, N.H., March 25, 1880.

Raised a Master Mason in Granite Lodge No. 65,
Salmon Falls, N.H., July 13, 1901.Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Edwards
P.A. Chapter, No. 21, Somersworth, N.H.Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in St. Paul Commandery, No. 5, of Dover, N.H.
May 30, 1903.

Dismissed January 18, 1905.

Admitted to Boston Commandery,
January 18, 1905Died in Boston, Mass.,
Friday, December 22, 1905.

- 4 The funeral of Sir William A. Wilson, who died suddenly ~~at hotel~~ in Boston, while stopping there temporarily, was held at Woodlawn Sem. ~~etc.~~ Monday, December 18. News of his decease came by mail, on the morning of the funeral, at an hour when it was impossible to do more than send the Floral tribute of the Commandery, which was done. He died, at 549 Mass. Ave. Boston

- 5 The funeral of Sir Frank Seiden Brown, who affiliated, by dismit, from St. Paul's Commandery, No 5 of Dover St. H., was held at his late residence, 123 Pembroke St. Boston, on Tuesday, December 26, 1905.

His death was very sudden, and unknown to the officers of the Commandery. So far as is known, the funeral was attended by Sir Knight William P. ^{only} ~~Seiden~~, who, subsequently, informed the officers of the death.

6 Asylum of Boston Commandery, K.T.

Masonic Temple,

Boston, Wednesday

December 20, 1905.

Special Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templar was opened, in the Asylum, at twelve o'clock, and ten minutes, P.M., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Sir Knight Stark Henry Davis at his late residence No. 150 Broadway, Somerville, with the following organization.

E Sir Richard A. Atwood,	Commander
E Sir Henry H. Litchfield,	as Generalissimo
E Sir Charles J. Litchfield,	as Captain General
Sir Rev. Geo. L. Perin D.D.,	Orator
Sir Thomas M. Carter,	as Senior Warden
Sir Leonard H. Rose,	Junior Warden
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Sir Henry Samuels,	as Treasurer
Sir George S. Foster,	Recorder
Sir Franklin E. Russell,	Guard
Sir Josiah T. Taylor,	as " "

Sir Oscar H. Paul, as Guard
 Sir St. F. Bechtel, as "
 Sir Levi L. Rowe as "
 Sir J. Frederick Sampson as Armorer

Sir Knights in uniform:
 Sir Rinaldo O. Richardson,
 Sir James O. Richardson,
 Sir Otis W. Greeley,
 Sir Hezekiah M. Laughlin,
 Sir David A. McDonald,
 Sir William O. Holmes,
 Sir De Witt Shaffer.

Sir Knights not in uniform
 Sir George W. Clatur,
 Sir Charles D. Annable,
 Sir Allan C. Prescott,
 Sir Nelson E. Davison,
 Sir Hugh J. Taggart,
 Sir William H. Stocker.

The lines were formed and a special car taken for Juncosville at 12-30 o'clock.

At the close of the service, the special car was resumed and the Commandery returned to the Temple where the

mandary was closed and the lines dismissed at two o'clock and forty minutes P.M.

Lunch was served.
 This record is made from minutes furnished by Sir J. Frederick Sampson, Armorer.

A true record.

Attest: J. Gilman Waite,
 Recorder.

Asylum of Boston
Commandery, K. T.

Masonic Temple.
Boston, Wednesday December 29, 1905.

Stated Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templar was
opened in due form at seven o'clock
P. M., with the following organization.

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| 1 | E. Sir Richard A. Atwood, | Commander |
| | Sir Charles S. Darnall, | Generalissimo |
| | E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield, | as Captain General |
| | Sir Reg. George L. Perin, D.D., | Orator |
| | Sir Jesse E. Ames, | Senior Warden |
| | Sir Leonard M. Rose, | Junior Warden |
| | Sir Oscar F. Allen | Treasurer |
| | E. Sir J. Gilman Waite, | Recorder |
| | Sir Edwin A. Stone, | Standard Bearer |
| | <hr/> | |
| | Sir Francis H. Appleton, | Third Guard |
| | Sir Joseph S. Paul, | Second Guard |
| | Sir Alrend C. J. Pope, | First Guard |
| | Sir George S. Foster, | Guard |
| | Sir Edward C. Hatch, | " |
| | Sir Fred P. Hayward, | " |
| | Sir Vernon M. Caine, | " |

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| Sir Charles M. Ward, | Guard |
| Sir Fred H. McLaughlin, | " |
| Sir J. Frederick Sampson, | Answer |
| Sir Thomas M. Carter, | Musical Director |
| Sir Eben H. Bailey, | Organist |
| Sir Edward F. Jacobs, | Sentinel |

- 2 Past Eminent Commanders present
Em. Sir James M. Gleason,
Em. Sir Eugene A. Holtow,
Em. Sir Charles S. Litchfield
Em. Sir Henry H. Litchfield
Em. Sir J. Gilman Waite
Em. Sir Rinaldo B. Richardson
- 3 Records
The record of the last Stated Conclave
were read and declared approved
- 4 Reports on the application of
Sir Edgar H. Whitney
for membership in the Commandery
were read, and a ballot taken, which
proved to be clear, and he was de-
clared to be elected to membership.
- 5 Petitions for the orders were read from
Comp. Jacob Ralph Baker
a member of King Cyrus Lodge of

Stonham and Noburn Royal Arch (chap-
ter of Noburn).

Recommended and vouched for by Sir
Gregory E. Stone, and Sir Geo. W. Mansou Jr
Committee: Sir William Gordon, Sir Eugene
C. Sherr and Sir Wm. O. Hewes.

Comp. Walter Howard Baldwin
a member of St. John's Lodge, and St.
Andrew's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Ed-
ward F. Jacobs and Sir Wm. S. Heath
Committee: Sir Franklin G. Jilson, Sir Wm.
O. Hubbard and Sir Wm. L. Baker.

Comp. Clarence Stakely
a member of St. John's Lodge, and St. An-
drew's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Wm.
S. Heath and Sir Edward F. Jacobs
Committee: Sir Jesse E. Ames, Sir Frank
H. Richards, and Sir George E. Duke

Comp. Robert Henry Clark
a member of Joseph Webb Lodge, and
St. Paul's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston
Recommended and vouched for by Sir
Francis H. Apple and Sir Charles S. Danrell
Committee: Sir W. Clifton Jones, Sir Alvan

M. Thompson, and Sir Fred. W. Abbott

Comp. William Craig
a member of Beth-horn Lodge of Brookline
and St. Paul's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Fred. H.
McLaughlin, and Sir Wm. L. Baker
Committee: Sir Edward F. Heath, Sir Jacob
Fotter, and Sir Alfred Seaw.

Comp. Benjamin King Farnham
a member of Windsor Lewis Lodge, and
St. Andrew's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Gregory
E. Stone, and Sir George W. Mansou Jr
Committee: Sir Henry M. Rowe, Sir De
Witt Shaffer, and Sir Albert F. Stearns

Comp. Gerhard Max Willy Gorttling
a member of Mt. Lebanon Lodge, and St.
Paul's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir
Charles S. Hadaway and Sir Daniel P. Miner
Committee: Sir Joseph E. Moore, Sir Edw.
W. Phillips and Sir Louis Hallow

Comp. William Roderick M. Donald
a member of Joseph Warren Lodge, and
St. Andrew's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston

Recommended and Vouched for by Sir Jo-
sieph T. Dyke and Sir John P. Leecham.
Committee: Sir Edward C. Boyce, Sir Wm D.
Rand and Sir Henry Samuels.

Comp. Arthur Blaisdell Norton
a member of Mr. Lebanon Lodge and St.
Andrews Royal Arch Chapter of Boston
Recommended and Vouched for by Sir Leon-
ard W. Ross, and Sir Edward F. Jacobson.
Committee: Sir Henry C. Cottrell, Sir Wm
W. Griffin and Sir Charles D. Wright

Comp. Arthur Leavitt Norton
a member of the Lodge of Eleusis, and St.
Andrews Royal Arch Chapter of Boston
Recommended and Vouched for by Sir
Harold C. Stuart and Sir Wm L. Aldrich.
Committee: Sir Frank H. Buggs, Sir Thomas
C. Ashley and Sir Arthur D. Jones.

Comp. Charles Henry Pierce
a member of Abre-don Lodge and St.
Pauls Royal Arch Chapter of Boston
Recommended and Vouched for by Sir
James S. Blake and Sir Charles T. Dampell
Committee: Sir John G. Cooper, Sir John
A. Bell, and Sir John H. Hester

6 General Order No. 1,
Series 1905 - 1906 } was read, it having
been borne upon the notice of the Council
as directed.

7 The Christmas greetings of the Knights
Templar Association of Danbury also,
the knightly greetings of the Sir Knights
of Newburyport Commandery No. 3,
were received and read.

8 The sentiment, prepared by the Com-
mittee of The Grand Encampment, U.S.A.,
on "Christmas Observance" was also read.

9 The committee to whom was referred, for
further consideration and report, the sub-
ject of an European pilgrimage, pre-
sented the following report:
- Copied -

To the Eminent Commander
and Officers of Boston Commandery.
Dear Sir and Sir Knights,

The Committee appointed to
canvass the Commandery as regards
the Pilgrimage to the Mediterranean
did not deem it advisable. They
also conferred with the Eminent Com-
mander and Recorder, who were of the
same opinion, therefore they have no
report to make.

The question was, borne on the regular notice so that it will be brought up for discussion.

We ask that this be accepted and the committee discharged.

Courteously Yours.

Signed:

A. M. Cole,
 Harrie E. Mason,
 Charles S.

Committee

It was Voted: That the report be accepted, spread upon the Records, and the committee's request, to be discharged, granted.

10 The Eminent Commander announced the gift to the Commandery, by Sir Knight, the Captain General, of a Traveller's clock, - which would be very useful to the presiding officer in reminding of the flight of time.

11 On motion, it was Voted: That the thanks of the Commandery be tendered to Sir Knight Blake for his useful gift.

12 At this time, Em. Sir James M. Gleason

was invited to assume the East for the purpose of installing those officers who were not present for installation at the Annual Conclave.

Assisted by Sir Jesse E. Ames, as Marshal, he proceeded to install
 Sir Rev. George L. Perin D.D., as Prelate
 Sir Edwin A. Stone, as Standard Bearer
 Sir Fred H. McLaughlin as Guard
 Sir Edwin C. Bailey as Organist
 and proclamation was made, that the officers of Boston Commandery, with the exception of Warden, were duly installed into office.

13 In resuming the head of the Commandery, Em. Sir Atwood expressed his thanks to Sir Knights Gleason, and Ames for the service they had so kindly rendered.

14 Eminent Sir Gleason, in accepting the thanks offered by Em. Sir Atwood, availed himself of the opportunity to refer to the service he had performed, and was now performing, for Boston Commandery, and, in fitting and well chosen language presented to him, in behalf of the Sir Knights,

Boston Commandery's jewel of a Past Eminent Commander.

Eminent Sir Atwood's appreciation of the gift of the Commandery was warmly expressed. He briefly reviewed the years of pleasant service he had rendered the body, in its various offices, and the associations connected with the service, holding them to be among the happier of his life.

- 15 The following deaths were announced and memorial pages ordered to be inscribed to the memory of each Sir Knight:

Sir William A. Wilson, December 14, 1905
Sir Stark Henry Davis, December 18, 1905

- 16 A letter, from the Em. Commander of Cambridge Commandery, N. E., No. 42, under seal, to the Em. Commander of Boston Commandery, requesting that the Orders of Temple and Malta might be conferred upon Comp. William Etson Briggs, who has been elected to receive the Order of Knighthood in Cambridge Commandery and has received the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross, was read by the Recorder.

- 17 The committee, appointed to take into consideration, and report upon, the expediency of the Commandery's attendance upon the Thirtieth Triennial Conclave of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templars, U. S. A., at Saratoga, N. Y., in July 1907, made verbal report. Through its Chairman
- 18 On motion, it was voted: That Boston Commandery participate in the Thirtieth Triennial Conclave of the Grand Encampment of the Knights Templars of the U. S. A., on the second Tuesday of July, 1907; that the committee, appointed to report upon the matter, be given full power to make all arrangements for the pilgrimage of the Commandery; and that said committee have power to enlarge its number.
- 19 At eight o'clock and fifteen minutes, no further business appearing, The Order of the Temple was conferred in Due Form, and with full ceremony, and

Comp. John Andrew Lovell son Peterson.
Comp. Kilburn Charles Brown
Comp. Russell Stanback, Master
and Comp. William Etson Briggs

were Dubbed and Created Knights of the Val-
iant and Magnanimous Order of the
Temple, Knights Templar.

20 The Order of Malta was then conferred in
Short Form, and

Sir John Andrew Lowell von Petzen,
Sir Kilburn Charles Brown,
Sir Russell Stambach Carter,
Sir William Otton Briggs.

were Dubbed and Created Knights of Malta
after which they signed the By-Laws
and became members of the Command-
ery, with the exception of Sir Knight
Briggs who was duly certified to
Cambridge, under seal, as a Knight
Templar, having received the Obedience
of the Temple and Malta.

at ten o'clock and fifty-five minutes the
Commandery was closed in due form, the
lines formed and the Sir Knights repaired to
the Banquet-hall.

Sir Knights in uniform 38
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A true record

attest: J. Simon Waite
Recorder

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Asylum of Boston Commandery, A. T.,
 Masonic Temple
 Boston, Wednesday,
 January 11th, 1906
 Stated Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templar
 was opened (in Due Form, in Conic
 Hall, at six o'clock, P. M., with the
 following organization:

1. Em. Sir Richard A. Alwood,	Commander
Sir Charles S. Darnell,	Generalissimo
Sir James S. Blake,	Captain General
Sir Geo. George L. Dean, D.D.	Orator
Sir Jesse E. Ames,	Senior Warden
Sir Leonard H. Rose,	Junior Warden
Sir Oscar F. Allen	Treasurer
Em. Sir J. Gorman Waite,	Recorder
Sir Edwin A. Stone,	Standard Bearer
Sir Edgar F. Hunt,	Sword Bearer
Sir Frederick Graves,	Warden
Sir Francis H. Appleton,	Third Guard
Sir Joseph T. Paul,	Second Guard
_____	First Guard
_____	Guard
Sir Edward O. Hatch	"

_____	Guard
Sir Fred A. McLaughlin,	"
_____	"
Sir _____	"
Sir J. Frederick Sampson,	Armored
Sir Thomas M. Calkins,	Musical Director
Sir Eben H. Bailey,	Organist
Sir Edward F. Jacob,	Sentinel

2 Past Eminent Commanders present.

Emt. Sir James M. Meason,
 Emt. Sir Eugene A. Holtow
 Emt. Sir Charles S. Litchfield
 Emt. Sir Henry H. Litchfield
 Emt. Sir J. Gorman Waite
 Emt. Sir Rinaldo O. Richardson

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Records
 The records of the last Special, and
 Stated, Conclaves were read and de-
 clared approved.

11. Reports of the committees on the petitions
 of
 Comp. Jacob Ralph Baker,
 Comp. Walter Howard Baldwin,
 Comp. Clarence Blakely

Comp. Robert Henry Clark.
 Comp. William Craig.
 Comp. Benjamin King Farnham.
 Comp. Gerhard Max Wills Gostling.
 Comp. William Frederick McDonald.
 Comp. Arthur Plaisdel Norton.
 Comp. Arthur Lavitt Norton.
 Comp. Charles Henry Picou.

were read, and a ballot taken on each petition which being clear they were respectively declared to be elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood in Boston Commandery, K. T.

5 The Recorder stated, that Sir J. Frank Hammond was clear on the books and desired to dismit from the Commandery. It was ordered, that a certificate of dismit be issued to Sir Knight Hammond.

6 Letters from the families of Sir Charles O. Purcell, Sir Stark Henry Davis, expressing their thanks to the Commandery for services rendered were read by the Recorder.

a letter from Cambridge Commandery, K. T., including therein a vote of thanks, passed by that body, to Boston Commandery, K. T., for the conferring of the Orders of the Templar and Malta on William Etow Briggs, who had been created and constituted a Companion of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross in Cambridge Commandery.

7 Voted: That action be taken by the Commandery, at the April Conclave, 1906, on the names of those Sir Knights who were delinquent, under the By-Laws, in the payment of annual dues.

8 The Eminent Commander announced the death of Sir Frank Seiders Brown December 22, 1905 and ordered that a page of the Records be inscribed to his memory.

At seven o'clock and five minutes the business of the Commandery was suspended, a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened for the reception of candidates, and

Comp. Jacob Ralph Baker

Comp. Walter Howard Baldwin,
 Comp. Clarence Blakely,
 Comp. Robert Henry Clark,
 Comp. Benjamin King Farnham,
 Comp. Gerhard Max Willy Gorttling,
 Comp. William Roderick McDonald,
 Comp. Arthur Lavitt Norton,
 Comp. Charles Henry Pierce,

were created and constituted Compan-
 ions of the Illustrious Order of the Red
 Cross in Due Form

10 At nine o'clock and thirty minutes the busi-
 ness of the Commandery was resumed

At nine o'clock and forty-five minutes,
 no further business appearing, the Com-
 mandery was closed in Due Form, the
 lines formed and the Sir Knights repaired
 to the Banquet-Hall

Sir Knights in uniform 33
 " " Visitors

a true record
 attest:

J. Gilman Waite
 Recorder

Masonic Temple.
 Boston, Friday,
 January 26, 1906.

11

Ladies' Night.

In accordance with previously perfected
 arrangements, the Sir Knights of Bos-
 ton Commandery tendered a re-
 ception, and entertainment to their la-
 dies and invited guests.

The program consisted of an organ
 recital, and reception by the officers,
 in Corinthian Hall, at six thirty o'clock,
 Sir Eben W. Bailey presiding at the
 Organ.

At seven thirty o'clock the Sir Knights
 escorted the ladies, and guests, to the
 Banquet-Hall which had been pro-
 fusely decorated for the occasion.
 More than five hundred Sir Knights
 and ladies were seated at the tables

The Banquet-room was enlivened by the
 music of the Strube Orchestral Club.
 That furnished the music, also for

dancing in Gothic Hall from ten until twelve o'clock.

From nine until ten o'clock, an entertainment, miscellaneous in character, consisting of Biograph views thrown upon a screen, recitations, and violin solos was given in Louis Hall.

The several Halls, Corridors, and Amories were profusely decorated with palms and flowers.

The entire event was one affording much pleasure to all participating in it.

Attest J. Simon Waite
Recorder

12 The funeral of Sir Daniel M. Hagen was held at his late residence, 96 Prospect St. Cambridge on Saturday January 27 at two o'clock P.M.

a committee consisting of Sir Knights

Charles L. Russell.

Leander M. Hammon.

Augustus P. Clarke.

J. Augustine Waite.

Edgar F. Hunt.

Edward E. Chick

was appointed to represent the Commandery

13 The funeral of Sir Augustus D. Gould was held at his late residence, 32 Maple St. Braintree, Mass., on Wednesday January 31, at ten o'clock A.M. The Commandery was represented by

© Sir Richard A. Atwood

Sir Henry L. Furcoid.

Sir Edward H. Kavanah.

14 The funeral of Sir William F. Butler was held at his late residence, 211 Harvard St. Dorchester on Tuesday February 13, at two o'clock P.M. and

was attended by
 E. Sir Eugene A. Holtom,
 E. Sir Rinaldo P. Richardson,
 Sir Freeman S. Atkins,
 Sir Henry Gray,
 Sir Josiah T. Dyer,
 Sir Henry Samuel,
 Sir Hegskiah McLaughlin,
 Sir J. Frederick Sampson,
 Sir Ernest L. Davis,
 Sir Wm H. Stocker,
 Sir Francis Appleton
 on behalf of the Commandery.

- 15 The funeral of Sir Eldridge Freeman was held at 19 Kersam St. Stoneham on Saturday, February 17, at two thirty o'clock P.M. and was attended by
 E. Sir Richard A. Atwood
 Sir Frederick M. Dean
 Sir J. H. Leam
 on behalf of the Commandery
 # Sir Rupert L. Ridgway

- 16 The funeral of Sir William T. Hayes was held at his late residence, 252 Medford St., Somerville at one o'clock P.M. on Sunday February 18. The Commandery was represented by -

E. Sir Richard A. Atwood
 Sir Charles D. Annable,
 Sir Henry Samuel,
 Sir Charles D. Wright,
 Sir J. Frederick Sampson,
 Sir Ernest L. Davis,
 Sir William O. Holmes,
 Sir Nelson Peckwith,
 Sir Austin C. Drake,

- 17 The funeral of Sir William T. Chiswell was held in Tremont Temple on Sunday, February 18, at two o'clock P.M. The Commandery was represented by
 E. Sir R. A. Atwood, Sir Elijah O'Hare,
 Sir Charles S. Darnall, Sir John M. Gaw,
 E. Sir James T. Brown, Sir John Blackie,
 Sir Frank C. Graves, Sir Sir L. H. Thompson,
 Sir Edward F. Jacobs, Sir Frank H. Kappan,
 Sir Marcus C. ... Sir John E. S. Darnall,
 Sir Frank L. Briggs.

Asylum of Boston Commandery, No. 1

Masonic Temple,
Boston Wednesday
February 21, 1906.

Stated Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templars
was opened in the room in Ionic
Hall, at six o'clock P. M. with the
following organization:

1. E. Sir Richard A. Atwood,	Commander
Sir Charles S. Danmull,	Generalissimo
Sir James S. Blake,	Captain General
Sir Red. Geo. L. Perin, D.D.	Orator
Sir Jesse E. Ames,	Senior Warden
Sir Leonard H. Ross,	Junior Warden
Sir Oscar F. Allen,	Treasurer
E. Sir J. Gilman Waite,	Recorder
Sir Edwin A. Stone,	Standard Bearer
Sir Edgar F. Hunt,	Sword Bearer
Sir Fredk. C. Evans,	Warden
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Sir Joseph T. Paul,	Third Guard
Sir Almond C. J. Pope,	Second Guard
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Sir Edward O. Phelps,	First Guard
	Guard

Sir Fred. P. Hayward,	Guard
Sir Elbert Hedges,	"
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Sir J. Frederick Sampson,	Armored
Sir Thomas M. Carter,	Musical Director
Sir Eben H. Bailey,	Organist
Sir Edward F. Jacob,	Entour

1. Past Eminent Commanders present
E. Sir James M. Gleason,
E. Sir Charles S. Litchfield,
E. Sir Henry W. Litchfield,
E. Sir J. Gilman Waite

2. Records
The records of the last Stated Conclave,
and the Ladies' night, were read and
declared approved.

3. The following petitions for the Order
were received:
Comp. Ebenezer Stanley Cutter,
a member of Jetland Lodge and St.
Andrews Royal Arch Chapter, of Boston.
Recommended and Vouched for by Sir Geo. W.
Manson Jr., and Sir Warren P. Ellis
Commanders Sir Gregory E. L. Sir Wm. L.
Aldrich, and Sir Charles R. P. P.

Comp. Frank Leon Fairbanks.
a member of St. Johns Lodge of Boston,
and Mt. Vernon Royal Arch Chapter of Roxbury.
Recommended and Vouched for by Sir
Walter L. Tougear and Sir Leonard W. Ross
Committee: Sir Fred. W. Abbott, Sir Alex. W. L.
Clute, and Sir Josiah S. Hathaway.

Comp. George Lamont Hunter.
a member of Revue Lodge and St. An-
drew Royal Arch Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and Vouched for by Sir James
D. McDonald and Josiah S. Wynn
Committee: Sir Francis H. Appleton, Sir
Joseph T. Paul and Sir Charles A. Parker

Comp. James Miller.
a member of St. Johns Lodge of Boston and
Dorchester Royal Arch Chapter of Dorchester.
Recommended and Vouched for by Sir Walter
L. Tougear and Sir Leonard W. Ross
Committee: Sir Ernest L. Davis, Sir Orville
E. Johnson, and Sir Geo. L. H. Stevenson

- 5 The request of Sir Geo. F. Mansfield
for a Dimit was read and it was
ordered: That a certificate of the same
be issued to him on receipt of such
portion of the annual dues, ^{of 1906} as

as have accrued to date, which was
done

- 6 The Eminent Commander announced the
following deaths and ordered that a page
of the Records be inscribed to the memory of each.

Sir Daniel M. Hazen,	January 24, 1906
Sir Augustus D. Gould,	January 28, 1906
Sir William F. Butler,	February 10, 1906
Sir Eldridge C. Freeman,	February 14, 1906
Sir William J. Hayes,	February 16, 1906
Sir William J. Chiswell,	February 15, 1906

- 7 The Recorder announced the receipt
of acknowledgements of courtesies,
intended by the Commandery, from the
families of Sir Knight Daniel M.
Hazen, Augustus D. Gould, William F.
Butler and William J. Chiswell

- 8 The Eminent Commander announced the
appointment of Sir Gilbert Hodges to the
office of assistant Guard, and invited
Sir James M. Mason to install Sir Frank
C. Graves as Warden and Sir Gilbert
Hodges as Guard, which he did

- 9 Elevation of Sir Knight, the Captain General,

the thanks of the Commandery, were extended to Miss Mary Gertrude O. Lander for numbers rendered in the programme for "Entertainment" on the evening of our "Ladies night" January 26, last.

10 Sir Knight, the Generalissimo, on behalf of the committee on pilgrimage to the Thirtieth Provincial Conclave of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templars of the U. S. A. made a preliminary report

11 The Order of the Temple was then conferred in due form and with full ceremony and the following named Companions of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross were Dubbed and Created Knights of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple Knights Templars:

Comp. Jacob Ralph Baker
Comp. Walter Howard Baldwin,
Comp. Clarence Blakey,
Comp. Robert Henry Clark
Comp. Benjamin King Farnham
Comp. Gerhard Max With Gortling

Comp. William Roderick McDonald
Comp. Arthur Leavitt Norton
Comp. Charles Henry Pierce

12 The Order of Malta was then conferred in short form and the above Knights of the Temple were Dubbed and Created Knights of Malta after which they repaired to the Recorder's desk, signed the By-Laws, received a copy of the same, also, their Diplomas.

At ten o'clock and fifteen minutes the Commandery was closed in due form, the lines formed and the Sir Knights proceeded to the Banquet Hall.

A true record.

Attest:

J. Simon Waite,
Recorder

In Memoriam

Sir Daniel Marston Hazen.

Born in

May 1, 1830.

Raised a Master Mason in King Solomon Lodge
No. 14, Elkins A. H., June 27, 1855Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Cambridge
Royal Arch Chapter, Cambridge Feb. 16, 1866.Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commander of Knights Templar
March 21, 1883Admitted to Membership,
March 21, 1855Died at Cambridge, Mass
Wednesday January 24
1906

a Life Member

In Memoriam

Sir Augustus Dudley Gould

Born in Boston Mass.

March 2, 1851

Raised a Master Mason in Amicable Lodge,
Cambridge, Mass., November 3, 1881.Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Cambridge
Royal Arch Chapter, May 12, 1882.Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commander of Knights Templar
October 16, 1882Admitted to Membership
October 16, 1882Died at Ojai, Calif.
Sunday January 28
1906

a Life Member

In Memoriam

Sir William Frederick Cutler

Born in Boston, Mass., May 29, 1840.

Raised a Master Mason in Joseph. Warner Lodge
Boston, Mass., January 21, 1880Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrews
Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, April 1, 1880Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commander of Knights Templar
June 16, 1880.Admitted to Membership,
June 16, 1880Died at Dorchester Mass
Saturday, February 10
1906.

A Life Member

In Memoriam

Sir Eldridge Chapman Truman

Born in Stoneham, Mass., January 6, 1872

Raised a Master Mason in St. James Lodge
Boston, Mass., November 5, 1900Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrews
Royal Arch Chapter Boston, June 5, 1901.Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commander of Knights Templar
April 16, 1902.Admitted to Membership,
April 16, 1902.Died at Stoneham, Mass.
Wednesday, February 14,
1906.

In Memoriam

Sir William Thompson (Olascoff).

Born in Boston, Mass., January 1, 1845

Raised a Master Mason in Joseph Warren
Lodge, Boston, Mass., March 25, 1879

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrew's
Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, January 1, 1880.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
February 18, 1880.

Admitted to Membership.
February 18, 1880

Died in Boston, Mass.
Thursday, February 15
1906

In Memoriam

Sir William Thomas Hayes

Born in Boston, Mass., September 10, 1840

Raised a Master Mason in Massachusetts Lodge
Boston, Mass., April 15, 1867.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. John's
Royal Arch Chapter, East Boston, June 14, 1869.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
November 20, 1872

Admitted to membership,
December 18, 1872

Died at Somerville, Mass.,
Friday, February 16,
1906.

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5	1 admitted	250
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5	1 admitted.	240
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16	" " " William T. Cheswell.	247
17	" " " William T. Hayes.	"

Asylum of Boston Commandery N.T.
Masonic Temple,

Boston, Sunday, March 11, 1906.

Special Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templar
was opened in Due Form at one
o'clock and fifteen minutes P.M.
with the following organization

E. Sir Richard A. Atwood,	Commander
Sir Charles S. Samuell,	Generalissimo
Sir James S. Blake,	Captain General
Sir Rev. Geo L. Perin D.D.	Prelate
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Sir Leonard W. Ross,	Senior Warden
Sir Oscar F. Allen,	Junior Warden
Sir Henry Samner	Treasurer
Sir Edwin A. Stone,	Recorder
Sir Edgar F. Hunt,	Standard Bearer
Sir Fred. C. Graven,	Sword Bearer
Sir Francis H. Appleton,	Warden
Sir Joseph S. Paul,	Third Guard
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Sir Edward O. Hatch,	Second Guard
Sir Fred P. Hayward,	First Guard
	Guard

Sir Fred H. M. Laughlin,	Guard
Sir J. Frederick Sampson,	Armour
Sir Thomas M. Carter,	Musical Director
	Organist
	Sentinel

Sir Knights in uniform:

Sir Edw. W. Phillips,	Sir W. F. Roberts,
Sir O. M. Young	Sir C. S. Montgomery,
Sir W. E. Wyman	Sir Joshua T. Spry,
Sir Lang. G. Howel,	Sir W. E. Davison,
Sir Geo. R. Harrell,	Sir J. D. McEllan,
Sir W. W. Griffin,	Sir C. S. Hadaway,
Sir Henry F. Pease,	Sir Chas. G. Johnson,
Sir James R. Richardson,	Sir James Bean,
Sir D. A. McDonald,	Sir Geo. U. Bauer,
Sir Geo. L. H. Stevenson,	Sir Geo. H. Witt,
Sir H. M. Adams,	Sir Max H. Herie,
Sir J. A. Collicott,	Sir T. J. Phelps,
Sir C. D. Wright,	Sir C. W. Greider,
Sir O. H. Pease,	Sir Wm. H. Badlett,
Sir W. W. Boyden,	Sir Eben Riggs,
Sir Frank. E. Russell,	Sir H. L. Phidley,
Sir William E. Holmes,	Sir Fred W. Abbott,
Sir Wm. H. C. Noble,	Sir H. L. Klein,
Sir H. L. Tongas,	Sir John Holmstrom,
Sir A. F. Bichtel,	Sir Wm. H. Hocky,
Sir W. H. Robey,	Sir H. W. Muntfeldt,
Sir W. A. Muntfeldt,	Sir H. E. Muntfeldt,
Sir H. L. Kelly,	

Sir John H. Houghton, Sir Wm. D. Rand

The Eminent Commanders announced that the Special Conclave had been called for the purpose of attending the funeral of Sir Knight Charles Whitney Ward, one of the Guards, who died at Los Angeles, California, - whither he had gone in search of health, - on the first of March, inst.

The lines were formed, and a Special Car taken for Uphams Corner, Dorchester, the funeral being held in St. Mary's Episcopal Church at that place.

After the service of the Church, the Templar Burial service was rendered by the officers of the Commandery, at the close of which the Sir Knights returned to the Temple, by car, and the Commandery was closed in Due Form, and the Sir Knights dismissed. Lunch was served.

Attest:

Gilman Waite
Recorder

Asylum of Boston Commandery, N. E.

Masonic Temple,
Boston, Wednesday,
March 21, 1906.

Stated Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templar was opened in Due Form, inasonic Hall at six thirty o'clock P.M. with the following organization:

1	E. Sir Richard A. Atwood	Commander
	Sir Charles S. Samrill	Generalissimo
	Sir James S. Blake	Captain General
	Sir Rev. Geo. L. Perry, D.D.	Prelate
	Sir Augustus Ridgeway	Senior Warden
	Sir Leonard M. Ross	Junior Warden
	Sir Oscar A. Allen	Treasurer
	E. Sir J. Gilman Waite	Recorder
	Sir Edwin W. Stone	Standard Bearer
	Sir Edgar A. Hunt	Sword Bearer
	Sir Frank C. Grant	Warden
	Sir Francis H. Appleton	Third Guard
	Sir Joseph T. Paul	Second Guard
	_____	First Guard
	Sir George S. Foster	Guard

Sir Edward O. Hatch,	Secord
Sir Fred. P. Hayward,	"
Sir Fred. H. McLaughlin,	"
Sir J. Frederick Simpson,	Armorer
Sir Thomas M. Carter,	Musical Director
Sir Eben. H. Bailey,	Organist
Sir Edward A. Jaffee,	Sentinel

- 2 Past Eminent Commanders present.
 E. Sir James M. Gleason,
 E. Sir Charles S. Litchfield,
 E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield,
 E. Sir J. Gilman Waite.

- 3 Records.
 The records of the last Stated and Special Conclaves were read and approved.

- 4 Reports of the committees on the petitions
 V. Comp. Obregon Stanley Cutler,
 Comp. Frank Leon Fairbanks
 Comp. George Lamont Hunter,
 Comp. James Miller,
 were read and ballots taken, which

in each case, proved to be clear and they were severally declared to be elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood in Boston Commandery, K. T.

- 5 The following petitions for the Orders of Knighthood were read:

Comp. Charles Arthur Bohm.
 A member of Eliot Lodge, Jamaica Plain, and Saint Paul's Royal Arch Chapter, Boston Recommended and Vouched for by Sir George M. Parker and Sir Leonard M. Ross.
 Committee: Sir Robert H. Rogers, Sir Thomas P. Kimball, Sir Charles T. Keller

Comp. Walter Herman Duss.
 A member of Mr. Harmon Lodge and Mystic Royal Arch Chapter of Medford Recommended and Vouched for by Sir Herman L. Duss and E. Sir J. Gilman Waite.
 Committee: Sir Henry D. Wiggins, Sir Albert Hodges, Sir Parker R. Litchfield

Comp. Ralph Richard Ellingwood
 A member of Gate of the Temple Lodge, and St. Matthew Royal Arch Chapter, Boston Recommended and Vouched for by Sir Geo.

S. Foster, and Sir August F. Hawk
Committee: Sir Walter W. Poyden, Sir Heph-
siah M. Laughlin, Sir Charles S. Montgomery

Comp. James Edgar Moore
a member of Beth-ho Lodge of Brookline,
and St. Andrew Royal Arch Chapter of Boston
Recommended and Vouched for by Sir
Thomas A. Brook, and Sir Edward F. Jacoby
Committee: Sir Wm. L. Baker, Sir H. Clifton
Jones, Sir Edward H. West

Comp. Augustine Harlow Read
a member of Joseph Warren Lodge
and St. Andrew Royal Arch Chapter Boston
Recommended and Vouched for by Sir
Warren R. Ellis, and Sir Edward F. Jacoby
Committee: Sir Myron F. Amice, Sir
Joseph S. Bennett, Sir Frank H. Richards
The Recorder announced the receipt of
letters from the families of
Sir William T. Hayes
and Sir Charles W. Ward,
expressing their thanks for courtesies
shown them in their breavement.

7 The Eminent Command announced
the death of
Sir Charles Whitney Ward.

and ordered that a page of the Rec-
ords be inscribed to his memory.

8 On motion, it was Voted: That a committee
of five, of which the Council shall
be three, be appointed whose duty it shall
be to consider the feasibility of celebra-
ting St. John's Day, June 24, or some
other day, or days, said Committee
to report to the Commandery at
its Stated Conclave, April 18, 1906.

Subsequently the
following committee was appointed:

3. Sir Richard A. Atwood,
Sir Charles S. Darnall,
Sir James S. Blake,
Sir Jesse E. Ames,
Sir William C. Culman.

9 At seven o'clock and ten minutes, the business
of the Commandery was suspended, and a
Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red
Cross opened for the reception of Candi-
dates opened for the the reception of
Candidates, and Companions.

William Craig,
Arthur Plausdell Norton.

Frank Leon Fairbanks,
and James Miller.

were created and constituted Compan-
ions of the Illustrious Order of the Red
Cross in due form and with full
ceremony.

10 The Council of the Illustrious Order
of the Red Cross was then closed and
business of the Commandery resumed.

11 No further business appearing, the Com-
mandery was closed in Due Form
at nine o'clock P.M., the lines
formed and the Sir Knights re-
paired to the Banquet Hall.

Sir Knights in uniform 30

visitors

a true record

attest:

J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

In Memoriam

Sir Charles Whitney Ward.

Born in Boston,

April 10, 1876

Raised a Master Mason in Union Lodge,
Dorchester, Mass. April 8, 1902

Elevated a Royal Arch Mason in Dorches-
ter Royal Chapter May 26, 1902

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight-Templar,
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
December 17, 1902.

Admitted to Membership
December 17, 1902.

Died at Los Angeles
California

Thursday, March 1
1906.

Summary - March 1906

1 Officers present.	265
2 Past Commanders present.	266
3 Records.	"
4 Elected to receive the Orders.	"
5 5 petitions for " "	267
6 Acknowledgments.	268
7 1 death announced.	"
8 Committee on celebration of St. John's Day	269
9 4 Candidates on Red Cross	"
10 Business of Commandery resumed	270
11 Commandery closed	"
12 Funeral of Sir Charles Whitney Ward	262
13 Memorial " " "	271

The funeral of Sir William P. Far-
azira was held at his late residence
54 Chandler St. West Somerville, on Sat-
urday, March 29, at two o'clock P.M.
and was attended by

Sir James P. Richardson,
Sir Charles D. Annable,
Sir Frederick L. Priggo

The funeral of Sir William Jewett
Bride was held at his late residence
54 Sanborn St. Reading Mass on Tues-
day, April 17, at three o'clock P.M.
The Commandery was represented
by a committee consisting of

Sir Daniel M. Lawrence
Sir James P. Richardson

and the Sir Knights repaired to the Grand Hall for lunch after which they returned to the Asylum where the business of the Commandery was resumed.

5 At seven o'clock work was again suspended and the business of the Conclave transacted.

6 Records
The record of the last stated Conclave was read and approved.

7 Reports of Committees on the petitions of

Comp. Charles Arthur Robin,

Comp. Walter Herman Burr,

Comp. Ralph Richard Ellingwood.

Comp. James Edgar Morris.

Comp. Augustine Hanson Read.

were received, and ballots taken, which in each case, were clear and then were solemnly declared to be erected to receive the Orders of Knighthood conferred in Boston. Commandery No. 1.

8 The following petitions for the Orders were received and read:

Comp. Donald August Prigbani
A member of Beth-horon Lodge of Brooklyn and
Signet Royal Arch Chapter of Chautauque.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir George
H. Paine and Sir Jesse Edwin Ames
Committee: Sir A. M. D. Clute, Sir Wm. J. Roberts,
and Sir Emmons R. Ellis.

Comp. Frank Ross King,
A member of Columbian Lodge and St.
Pauls Royal Arch Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Al-
man L. Eastman and Sir Edward M. Phillips
Committee: Sir Paul C. Klein, Sir Frank A.
Winston and Sir Wilbert Soule.

Comp. Oliver Herbert Lapham.
A member of Star of Bethlehem Lodge of Mil-
sea, and St. Pauls Royal Arch Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir John
F. Merrow, and Sir Francis C. Appleton
Committee: Sir Henry A. Davis, Sir Wm. J.
Coley, and Sir Charles W. Harrison.

Comp. Wallace Dexter Merrow
A member of Betheda Lodge of Brighton
and Cambridge Royal Arch Chapter of Cambridge.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir John
F. Merrow and Sir Francis C. Appleton.

Committee: Sir Leonard M. Rose, Sir John A. Allen and Sir Frank P. Rhodes

9 Applications for Membership were received from:

Sir William Purvis, Wright.
A member of Franklin Lodge No. 6, of Lsb.
anon; St. Andrews R. A. Chapter No. 1,
and admitted from Mt. Korb Com-
mandery, K. P. of Concord, all of St.
K.

Proposed by Sir Henry O. Sprague
Committee: Sir Edward G. Hilton, Sir Fredk
G. Storey, and Sir Wm. H. Woodberry

Sir Harry Hamilton
a member of Mt. Labor Lodge, St. Johns
R. A. Chapter, and admitted from Wil-
liam Parkman Commandery, K. P. all of
East, Boston.

Proposed by Sir Frank P. Anthony
and Sir T. A. Atwood.

Committee: Sir J. Slings Wright, Sir Emery
D. Leighton, and Sir Fredk. H. Haydon

Action on delinquents

In accordance with the vote passed
at the January Conclave, recorded
folio 241 Action was taken

the following named Sir Knights
who were delinquent in their annual dues
by vote of the Commander. The dues of
the following named Sir Knights were
remitted:

Sir Abel Goddard, years 1904, 1905	\$16.00
" Chas. A. Sawyer " 1904, 1905	16.00
" Arthur T. Bell " 1904, 1905, 1906	24.00

Further time was granted to:

Sir H. Cleveland Beach, years 1904, 1905	\$16.00
Sir Edgar A. Cook " 1904 - 1905	16.00

The following names were refused:

Sir Emery F. Southey, years 1903, 1904, 1905	\$24.00
to the Recorder.	

Sir Arthur Taylor, years 1904, 1905	\$16.00
to E. S. R. A. Atwood,	

E. Sir Charles S. Ditchfield

E. Sir J. Gilman Waite.

11 The Em. Commander, as chairman
of the committee of five appointed
"to consider the feasibility of celebrat-
ing St. John's Day, or some other
day" made a verbal report favor-
ing a single day pilgrimage.
The report was accepted and
it was voted that a one day's
pilgrimage be made by the Com-
mandery.

- 12 On motion, it was voted, that the Council, with such as it may see fit to join, be a committee to arrange for a one day's pilgrimage as recommended by the committee.

Subsequently, the names of eight Sir Knights were added to the committee.

- 13 Sir Leonard M. Rose, alluding briefly to the catastrophe that had befallen the city of San Francisco, California, and was overwhelming so many of her citizens in its immensity, offered the following:
- "Boston Commandery N. D., assembled in conclave recapping with gratitude, courtesies received, extend through California Commandery Knights Seaboard No. 1, and Golden Gate Commandery Knights Templar No. 16, their sympathy to the citizens of San Francisco, in their hour of misfortune and distress."

- 14 On motion it was voted, that the foregoing report by the Eminent Commander be sent as a message, to the Commanderies therein named.

- 15 Work was then resumed in the Order of the Temple.

- 16 at eight o'clock, E. W. Sir Frank T. Grace Acting Grand Warden, announced that E. Sir Walter W. Burnham, Grand Senior Warden of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Massachusetts and Rhode Island was present for the purpose of making the Annual Inspection of Boston Commandery, N. D.

- 17 The following committee was appointed, by the Eminent Commander to wait upon and escort the Eminent Grand Senior Warden into the Asylum:
- Sir Charles J. Samuell, Generalissimo, Chairman
 - E. Sir Frederick T. Corne.
 - E. Sir James M. Gleason.
 - E. Sir Eugene A. Zoltow.
 - E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield.
 - E. Sir Henry W. Litchfield.
 - E. Sir J. Julian White.
 - E. Sir John R. Fowler.

- 18 The Sirs were joined and the Eminent Grand Senior Warden was escorted into the Asylum where a most cordial and

Knights greeting was tendered him by E. Sir Atwood, Commander. The usual exchange of courtesies having taken place, the Em. Grand Senior Warden was escorted to the East under an Arch of Steel.

10. The Em. Grand Senior Warden was accompanied by a distinguished Suite, among which were the following Grand and Past Grand officers:
- Sir E. Cutley Young, V.E. Deputy Grand Commander.
 - # Sir John Munro, E. Grand Captain General.
 - John Robert L. Pencer, Grand Lecturer.
 - Sir Lafayette L. Blain, E. Grand Standard Bearer.
 - Sir Frank T. Pease, Acting Em. Grand Warden.
 - Sir George K. Punham, R.E. Past Grand Commander.
 - + R.E. Sir Robert T. More, Em. Grand Treasurer.

He was also accompanied by some fifty E. Commanders, Generalissimo, Captain Generals, and Past E. Commanders of Sister Commanderies or his Suite.

20. Immediately following the reception of the Grand officers, announcement was made, that a detachment of Sir Knights from St. John's Commandery, No. 1, of

Providence awaited permission to enter. The delegation, to the number of fifty, were received and accorded a truly knightly welcome by Em. Sir Atwood, Commander.

21. Sir Geo. A. Littlefield, the Emment Commander, was exceedingly happy in his response, alluding with much sincerity of feeling to incidents in the course of their history which had tended to strengthen the tie of friendship and the bond of knightly regard between the members of the two Commanderies. At the close of his remarks, he presented to Em. Sir Atwood Sir Joseph P. Burlingame, a Past Em. Commander of St. John's Commandery who still further reviewed the long and intimate friendly relations that had subsisted between the members of the two bodies, himself adding new incidents when they had been the recipients of each others courtesy and hospitality. It was to add one more link to the chain that binds, that a chosen few had come to bring to Boston Commandery a token of the knightly regard in which she is held.

by St. John's Commandery, and presented in the name of the Sir Knights of St. John's Commandery of Providence, a magnificently wrought sword and belt, of an Eminent Commander, to the Sir Knights of Boston Commandery to be worn by those Eminent Commanders. And he enjoined upon them that it be worn by that office, and be, by each in turn, transmitted to his successor in that high office while it should last.

On the right side of its gripe of silver is engraved the seal of Boston Commandery, while on the left is that of St. John's Commandery.

On the Right side of the blade is the inscription:

To Boston Commandery,

K. T.
Boston, Mass.

and on its Left

To St. John's Commandery,

K. T.
Providence, R. I.

Em. Sir Alwood, in acceptance of this testimonial, in behalf of the Sir

Knights of Boston Commandery, referred graciously to the century's record of faithful service which the two bodies had rendered, side by side, in the Grand Commandery of which they were its first two Subordinates; For this expression of reciprocal regard he gave the hearty thanks of the Sir Knights of Boston Commandery to the Sir Knights of St. John's Commandery for their beautiful gift.

The Sir Knights of St. John's Commandery were then seated and the business of Inspection taken up.

22 The official examination of the Charter, Records, By-Laws, Constitution and Code of Statutes of the Grand Encampment U. S. A. Signal of the Grand Encampment U. S. G. and Ritual of the Order of Malta No. and Preliminary Ritual No.

was then made according to the requirements of the Grand Commandery by the Em. Grand Senior Warden, and the official count was taken with the following result:

Sir Knights in uniform	150
" " Not	49
" " Visitors	142
" " on Suite	59
	<u>400</u>

23 At the close of the Inspection the Em. Commander was invited to resume the East and proceed with the work of the Council and

Comp. William Craig,
Comp. Arthur Blaisdell Norton
Comp. Frank Low Fairbanks
Comp. James Miller

were dubbed and created Knights of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, Knights Templar.

The work of the Order was concluded at nine o'clock and forty minutes.

24 At the conclusion of the work, the Em. Senior Grand Warden addressed the Commandery, commending it for what he had seen, congratulating it upon the good management of its affairs, and commending it upon the good ritualistic work of its officers. At the close of his address, the lines were formed, and, with his Suite, he was escorted from the Assembly by the same committee that, earlier in the evening introduced him into it.

The Commandery was then closed in due form and the Em. Senior Grand Warden, with his Suite, were escorted by the officers and Sir Knights to the Panguet Hall, where an hour was spent socially.

25 During the business of the Conclave, the Emminent Commander announced the death of
Sir William P. Parazina, March 29, 1906
Sir William J. Drake April 14, 1906

and ordered that a page of the Records be inscribed to the memory of each.

A true record,
Attest: J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

26 The funeral of Sir Hubert C. Wall
was held at his late residence, No
67 Buckley St. W. Newton, on Friday
April 27, 1906, at 2 o'clock P.M.
The Commandery was
represented by
Sir J. Frederick Sampson
Sir William H. Eastland.

The funeral of Sir John P. Merrow
was held at his late residence,
48 Patchadu St. Melrose on Tuesday,
May 8 at 1-30 o'clock P.M.
The Commandery was represent-
ed by
Sir James A. Richardson

In Memoriam

Sir William Benjamin Paizina

Born

Austria

Raised a Master Mason in Temple Lodge East
Boston June 14, 1874

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Johns
Royal Arch Chapter, East Boston July 17, 1874

Dubbed and created a knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a knight Templar.
in Wm. Packman Commandery of Knights Templar,
June 12, 1879

Admitted to Membership in Boston Commandery
June 21, 1882

Died at Somerville, Mass.
Thursday March 29
1906

a Life Member

In Memoriam

Sir William Jewett Bride

Born at Dedham, Mass., September 8. 1831

Raised a Master Mason in Mount Vernon Lodge
Medford, Mass., May 28. 1863

Exalted a Royal Arch in Mystic
Royal Arch Chapter Medford, June 23. 1865

Dubbed and created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commander of Knights Templars
December 26. 1865

Admitted to Membership
February 21. 1866

Died at Reading Mass.
Saturday April 14
1906

A Life Member

Summary
April - 1906

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Asylum of Boston Commandery, N.D.

Masonic Temple,

Boston, Wednesday, May 16, 1906.

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templar was opened in due form at six o'clock P.M. with the following organization.

1 E. Sir Richard A. Atwood,	Commander
Sir Charles S. Samuell,	Generalissimo
Sir James S. Blake,	Captain General
Sir Geo. W. L. Devin, D.D.	Orator
Sir Jesse C. Ames,	Senior Warden
Sir Leonard M. Row,	Junior Warden
Sir Oscar T. Allen	Treasurer
Em. Sir J. Gilman Waite	Recorder
Sir Edward A. Stone,	Standard Bearer
Sir Edgar T. Hunt,	Sword Bearer
Sir Frank C. Staves	Warden
Sir Francis H. Appleton,	Third Guard
Sir Joseph J. Paul,	Second Guard
Sir A. C. J. Pope	First Guard
Sir Geo. B. Foster,	Guard
Sir Edward C. Hatch	"
Sir Fred. P. Hayward	"
Sir Gilbert Hodges	"

Sir Fred. H. McLaughlin,	Guard
Sir J. Fred. Sampson,	Armorer
Sir Thomas M. Cailer,	Musical Director
Sir Eben H. Pailer	Organist
Sir Edward Jacobs,	Sentinel

2 Past Eminent Commanders present:
 E. Sir Charles S. Litchfield
 E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield
 E. Sir J. Gilman Waite.
 E. Sir Rinaldo B. Richardson.

3 The Order of Malta was conferred in short form and Sir Knights William Craig, Arthur Plaisdell Norton, Frank Leon Fairbanks, and James Miller were dubbed and created Knights of Malta, after which they signed the By-Laws, received a copy of the same, and, later, their diplomas.

4 Records
 The record of the last Stated Conclave was read and approved.

Reports of the committees appointed on the

Petitions of
 Comp. Donald Puggess Pughman
 Comp. Frank Ross Gunn
 Comp. Oliver Herbert Lapham,
 Comp. Wallace Dexter Merriam

were received and ballots taken which
 were clear and they were severally
 declared to be elected to receive the
 Orders of Knighthood in Boston Comman-
 dery, N. J.

6 Reports of the committees appointed
 on the applications of
 Sir Harry Hamilton
 and Sir William Duns Wright

for membership in Boston Commandery
 N. J. were received and, on ballot
 being had, they were declared to be
 elected to Membership

7 Petitions for the Orders were received
 from:

Comp. Edward Peter Brock
 a member of Union Lodge of Dorchester and
 St. Pauls Royal Arch Chapter of Boston
 Recommended and vouched for by E. Sir.

Eugene A. Holton and Sir Joseph P. Spry
 Committee: Sir William O. Rand, ^{Sir} Wm L.
 Aldrich and Sir John H. Keoughan

Comp. Kingsley Allan Burnham,
 a member of St. Pauls Lodge and St. Mat-
 thews Royal Arch Chapter of So. Boston
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir
 Geo. S. Foster and E. Sir Julian W. Waite
 Committee: E. Sir William O. Lawrence, Sir John
 R. Newman and Sir Walter W. Boyden.

Comp. Arthur Curtis Nichols
 a member of Beth-horn Lodge of Brookline
 and St. Pauls Royal Arch Chapter of Boston
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir
 George Urban Dancer and Sir Thomas M. Foster
 Committee: Sir James L. Robinson, Sir Rev.
 Geo. L. Perin and Sir Augustus Ridgeway

Comp. Albert Henry Tuttle
 a member of Mizpah Lodge and Cam-
 bridge Royal Arch Chapter of Cambridge
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir
 Roy A. Fay and Sir Oscar F. Allen
 Committee: Sir Ernoch Pease, Sir Edward
 E. Chick and Sir Frank P. Rhoades

Comp. John Wood
a member of St. Johns Lodge and St.
Andrews Royal Arch Chapter of Boston
Recommended and vouched for by Sir
Frank & Baron and Sir Joseph J. Paul
Committee Sir Davis H. Keever, Sir Frank
H. Sherman, and Sir Eben Riggs

- 8 The question, relative to the amount of sub-
scriptions that had been made to the
California Relief Fund was briefly dis-
cussed, after which the following vote
was passed:

That a second circular be
issued to the members of Boston Com-
mandery, to be prepared by the Com-
mittee.

- 9 The Eminent Commander made a ver-
bal report for the Committee, appointed
to make arrangements for a St. John's
Day pilgrimage, stating:

That, after a very
careful consideration of the matter, the
committee was of the opinion that it
seemed advisable for the Commander,
to make a two days trip instead of one
as voted by the Commandery, at the

Last council, and it was therefore rec-
ommended that the Commander make
a two days pilgrimage to the New
Matthewson House, Faneuil Hall Pier,
R.O., leaving Boston on Saturday Morn-
ing, June 28, and returning Sunday
Afternoon, June 29.

- 10 On motion, it was Voted: That the vote of
the Commandery, whereby it voted to
make a one days pilgrimage,
be reconsidered.

- 11 Sir Robert A. Phoades then offered as a
substitute motion:

That the Commandery make
a two days pilgrimage, as out-
lined by the Commander, instead
of one, Carried

- 12 The business of the Commandery was then
suspended and a Council of the Ill-
ustrious Order of the Red Cross opened
for the reception of candidates, and

Comp. Charles Arthur Bohm
Comp. Walter Herman Russ

Comp. Ralph Richard Ellingwood,
 Comp. James Edgar Moore,
 Comp. Augustine Harlow Read,
 Comp. Donald Eugene Brigham,
 Comp. Frank Ross Ginn,
 Comp. Oliver Herbert Lapham,
 Comp. Wallace Dexter Menow.

were created and constituted Companions
 of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross
 in due form and with full ceremony

13 The Council of the Illustrious Order of
 the Red Cross was then closed and
 the business of the Commandery re-
 sumed

14 The following communication was
 read: - Copy -

General Masonic Relief Board.
 1745 Fillmore St.

San Francisco, Cal.

Apr 29, 1906

Richard A. Atwood,
 Eminent Com. K. T.
 Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir, -

We acknowledge with much

feeling your telegram of the 18th inst. to the
 Commander of the Golden Gate Commu-
 dery of this city. Please say to the Brethren
 that the Masonic Relief Board of this city
 is doing splendid work and that the Masonic
 Bodies of this city and the individuals
 of the different Bodies are not disheart-
 ened by the dire calamity that has
 been visited upon us, but propose rising
 from the ruins of a beautiful city,
 greater and grander. We have
 been washed in the fire of distress
 Fraternally,

Harry J. Lusk
 Secretary

15 Also, the following:

- Copy -

Jerusalem Commandery, No. 19,
 Knights Templar.

Fitchburg, Massachusetts.

April 21st 1906.

Mr. J. Gilman Waite, Recorder.

Boston Commandery, No. 2, K. T.

Dear Sir Knight:

We have had presented to us
 a petition for the Obedience conferred in
 Jerusalem Commandery, from
 Companion, Charles Hugh Brown.

R. R. Eugene, who gives his residence as Waverly Mass. but who lives in Cape about as much of the time as in Waverly.

To avoid all complications, by advice of Grand Recorder Powell, we kindly ask Boston Commandery for release of jurisdiction in this case. Your early attention to this matter will greatly oblige.

Yours very respectfully,
F. L. Page, Recorder.
Jerusalem Commandery

16 A motion Voted: that jurisdiction over Comp. Charles Hugh Brown of Waverly, be released to Jerusalem Commandery, K. T. of Fitchburg Mass

17 The following deaths were announced

Sir Herbert C. Hall,	April 25. 1906
Sir John F. Merrow	May 6. 1906

and ordered that a page of the Records be inscribed to the Memory of each

18 The Recorder announced the receipt of expressions ^{thanks} of the families of

William B. Paragina, Sir William J. Pride, Sir Herbert Cushing Hall, and Sir John F. Merrow for the sympathy and floral tributes received in their afflictions

19 No further business appearing the Commandery was closed at eleven o'clock. The lines were formed and the Sir Knights repaired to the Paquet Hall.

Sir Knights in uniform 38
" " Visitors

A true record

Attest:

William Waite
Recorder

20 The funeral of Sir George William Ditch was held in the Chapel, Forest Hills Cemetery, on Sunday May 27, at three o'clock P.M.

Boston Commandery was represented by Sir Augustus A. Howle
Sir Frederick L. Puggs

In Memoriam

Sir Horatio Cushing Hale

Born in Somerville, Mass., March 22, 1851

Raised a Master Mason in John Abbot
Lodge, Somerville, Mass., June 5, 1883.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Somerville
Royal Arch Chapter, Somerville, June 10, 1884.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar,
March 18, 1896.

Admitted to Membership.
March 18, 1896.

Died at Newton, Mass.
Wednesday, April 25
1906

a Life Member

In Memoriam

Sir John Francis Merrow

Born at Millow Hill, N.H. March 30, 1835

Raised a Master Mason in Mount Labor Lodge,
East Boston, Mass. October 14, 1858

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St.
Paul's Royal Arch Chapter, Boston March 31, 1863.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
February 6, 1864.

Admitted to Membership
March 16, 1864.

Died at Melrose Mass
Sunday, May 6,
1906

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Asylum of Boston Commandery, N.T.

Masonic Temple,
Boston, Wednesday June 20 1906.

Stated Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templar was opened in the Forum, in Comic Hall, at two o'clock, P.M., with the following organization:

1 Em. Sir Richard A. Atwood	Commander
Sir Charles S. Lamull	Generalissimo
_____	Captain General
Sir Rev. Geo. L. Perin D.D.	Prelate
Sir Jesse E. Ames	Senior Warden
Sir Leonard W. Ross	Junior Warden
Sir Oscar T. Allen	Treasurer
Sir J. Gilman Waite	Recorder
Sir Edwin A. Stone	Standard Bearer
Sir Edgar F. Hunt	Sword Bearer
Sir Frederick C. Graves	Warder
Sir Francis H. Appleton	Third Guard
Sir Joseph T. Paul	Second Guard
_____	First Guard
Sir George S. Foster	Guard
_____	"
_____	"

Guard

Sir Fred J. McLaughlin
 Sir J. Frederick Hampson

Armory
 Musical Director
 Organist
 Secretary

Sir Eben H. Bailey
 Sir Edward T. Jacobs

2 Past Eminent Commanders present

E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield
 E. Sir Henry W. Litchfield
 E. Sir J. Gilman Waite
 E. Sir John H. Bowker

3 The record of the last Stated Con-
 clave was read and approved.

4 The following communication was read:-
 Copy

Palestine Commandery No. 19,
 Knights Templar

Chelsea, Mass., June 13, 1906
 J. Gilman Waite, Recorder
 Boston Commandery
 Eminent and dear Sir:

At the Stated Conclave of Pal-
 estine Commandery this evening, the request
 of Boston Commandery for release of

jurisdiction over Companion Edward Peter
 Brock, of Boston, Mass., was granted, by vote
 of the Commandery

Fraternally yours

Charles S. Gattler

Recorder



5 Reports of committees on the
 applications of

Comp. Edward Peter Brock,
 Comp. Kingsley Allan Burnham,
 Comp. Catharine Curtis Nichols,
 Comp. Albert Henry Tuttle
 Comp. John Wood.

were received, and ballots taken which
 proved to be clear, and they were severally
 declared to be elected to receive the Orders
 of Knighthood conferred in Boston Com-
 mandery, N. S.

6 Petitions for the Orders were received from
 Comp. Paul Washburn,
 a Member of Joseph Warren Lodge and
 St. Andrew's Royal Arch Chapter of Boston.
 Recommended and Vouched for by Sir
 James F. Bliss and Sir Isaac E. Secrow
 Committee: Sir Frank W. Atwood, Sir
 John C. Rose, and Sir W. Wallace Frost.

Comd. George Duthie MacLean
a member of Revue Lodge and St. Andrew
Royal Arch Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir
Gregory E. Stone and Sir David A. M. Leland.
Committed Sir Francis Appleton, Sir James
J. McDonald, and Sir Frank S. Jones.

1. Sir Herbert M. Leland requested a permit
from the Commandery, as provided in Sect.
3, Article VI, of the By-Laws, which
was granted and, subsequently, a
certificate of the same was issued to him.
8. The following communications were read:
copies.

Palatine Commandery

No. 10 Knights Templar.

Chelsea, Mass., June 7, 1906.

Comd. Sir J. Gilman Waite, Recorder,

Boston Commandery.

Dear Sir: Release of jurisdiction
is cordially requested of Boston Com-
mandery on the application for the Obed-
ience in Palestine Commandery from Comp.
George Arthur W. Innes of Boston.

Comp. W. Innes is a member of Rob-
ert Lash Lodge of Chelsea and has
just received the Capitular degrees

and affiliation in the Chapter of the Shekinah
Fraternally Yours

Charles S. Beasley
Recorder



also:

Chelsea, Mass., June 13, 1906

E. Sir J. Gilman Waite, Recorder,
Boston Commandery.

Release of jurisdiction is com-
municably requested of Boston Comman-
dery on the application for the Obed-
ience in Palestine Commandery of Comp.
Charles Wilford Rimbach (a resident of
Boston). Comp. Rimbach, until
quite recently, was a resident of
Chelsea and is affiliated with Rob-
ert Lash Lodge and the Royal Arch
Chapter of the Shekinah in which
body he has just received the Ca-
pitular degrees.

Fraternally Yours,

Chas. S. Beasley

Recorder



On motion it was Voted:
unanimously, that release of juris-
diction over Companions George
Arthur W. Innes, and Charles Wilford
Rimbach, be granted to Palestine

Commandery, Chelsea, Mass.

9 The Record reported the receipt of a letter, from the family of our late Sir Knight George M. Dost, expressing thanks for sympathy in their bereavement.

10 At two o'clock and forty-five minutes the business of the Commandery was suspended, a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened; and

Comp. Ebenezer Stanley Cutler,
Comp. Edward Peter Brock,
Comp. Kingsley Allan Burnham,
Comp. Arthur Curtis Nichols,
Comp. Albert Henry Tuttle,
Comp. John Wood.

were created and constituted Companions of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross in due form and with full ceremony.

11 The Council of the Red Cross was then closed, and the business of the Commandery resumed, and the Sir Knights and Companions repaired to the Pangloss Hall where a substantial lunch was partaken of.

12 At six thirty o'clock business was

resumed in the Asylum.

1 The Eminent Commander announced the death of Sir Austin C. Drake, June 18, 1906.
Sir George William Ditch, May 24, 1906
and ordered, that a page of the Records be inscribed to the memory of each.

13 On motion of Em. Sir Henry H. Litchfield it was voted, that, in accordance with Article II, section I of the By-Laws, the Stated Conclaves of July and August be omitted.

The Eminent Commander announced the completion of arrangements for the St. John's Day Pilgrimage, and expressed the hope that a goodly number of the Sir Knights would participate in the excursion.

15 The Order of the Temple was then conferred in due form and with full ceremony, and the following named Companions of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross were dubbed and created Knights of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, Knights Templar:-

Comp. Ebenezer Stanley Cutter,
 Comp. Charles Arthur Bohw,
 Comp. Walter Herman Buss,
 Comp. Ralph Richard Ellingwood
 Comp. James Edgar Moore,
 Comp. Augustine Fallow Read,
 Comp. Donald Burgess Bingham,
 Comp. Frank Ross Ginn
 Comp. Alvin Hubert Lapham,
 Comp. Wallace Dexter Menow
 Comp. Edward Peter Brock,
 Comp. Kingsley Allan Burnham,
 Comp. Arthur Curtis Nichols,
 Comp. Albert Henry Tittle,
 Comp. John Wood.

16 The Order of Malta was afterwards con-
 ferred, in Short-Town, and the above named
 Sir Knights were dubbed and created knights
 of Malta, after which they signed the
 By-Laws, and received a copy of the
 same. Subsequently, their Diplo-
 mas were sent them, by mail.

17 During the conclave, the Commandery was
 honored by a visit from the following dis-
 tinguished Sir Knights;
 R. Em. Francis D. Jones, Helena Commandery No. 1,
 Helena Montana, P. E. C.

R. Em. Leonard L. Green, Passaic N. J., P. E. C.
 Sir Henry S. Haines, Burlington, N. J.
 R. Em. Sir Geo. W. Poole, New Orleans La., P. E. C.
 Em. Sir Geo. O. Elms, Lake Charles La., P. E. C.
 R. Em. Sir Geo. A. Lewis, Frankfort Ky., P. E. C.
 E. Sir Jacob T. Parson, Columbus O., P. E. C.
 E. Sir Garrey Donaldson, New York N. Y., P. E. C.
 E. Sir Robt. H. M. Britton, Terre Haute, Ind., P. E. C.
 Sir Thomas C. Weber, Indianapolis Ind.
 E. Sir Edward E. Pitner, Terre Haute Ind., P. E. C.
 E. Sir Robert L. Colding, Savannah Ga., P. E. C.
 E. Sir Edward E. Caffer, Columbus O., P. E. C.
 E. Sir Lewis M. Lea, Sandusky O., P. E. C.
 Sir. C. H. Hansen, Argona O.
 E. Sir James K. Allen, Terre Haute Ind., P. E. C.
 Sir Charles T. Gallagher, St. Omer,
 Commandery No. 1, Boston.

Em. Sir Jacob T. Parson participated in
 in a portion of the work of the Red Cross,
 as did also R. Em. Sir Francis D. Jones
 in the Order of the Temple.

18 No further business appearing, the Com-
 mandery was closed in the Town
 at ten o'clock and fifty-five minutes,
 the vires were formed, and the Sir
 Knights repaired to the Panzer
 Hall.

The record, from six thirty o'clock, is
made from notes furnished by E. Sir
Henry H. Litchfield.

Sir Knights in uniform
" " visitors 21

A true record
attest:

J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

- 19 The funeral of Sir Austin Clarence Drake
was held at his late residence No. 375
Madford St. Somerville on Wednesday
July 20, at three o'clock P.M.
Boston Commandery was represented
by a committee of Sir Knights se-
lected from his friends living near
his home.

In Memoriam

Sir George William Blish

Born at Rome, Illinois, March 1, 1837

Raised a Master Mason in Amicable
Lodge, Cambridge, Mass., April 7, 1881.

Elevated a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrews
Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, June 3, 1881

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar,
January 18, 1882

Admitted to Membership,
January 18, 1882.

Died at Plymouth N.H.
Thursday May 24
1906

In Memoriam

Sir Austin Clarence Drake

Born in Westfield, Mass., March 31, 1828

Raised a Master Mason in King Solomon's Lodge, Somerville, Mass., September 14, 1900

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Somerville Royal Arch Chapter, Somerville, Mass., Jan. 21, 1904

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple.

A Knight Templar in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar December 21, 1904

Admitted to Membership December 21, 1904

Died at Somerville Mass. Monday, June 18, 1906.

Asylum of Boston Commandery, K.T.
Masonic Temple
Boston, Saturday June 23, 1906

Special Conclave

A Special Conclave of Boston Commandery K.T. was held in accordance with the following dispensation

Grand Commandery
of Knights Templar
and the

Appendant Orders of
Massachusetts and Rhode Island.
Office of the R. E. Grand Commander,
Springfield Mass. - June 9th 1906

To the Eminent Commander,
Officers, and Sir Knights of Boston
Commandery No. 2, Stationed at Boston, Mass. -

Good cause having been shown,
I, by virtue of the power (in me vested
as Grand Commander of the Grand
Commandery of Massachusetts and
Rhode Island, do hereby grant this
my dispensation, authorizing Boston
Commandery No. 2, to parade in full
Templar Uniform, with banners and
music, within this jurisdiction,

on June 23^d and 24th inclusive, for the purpose of making a pilgrimage to Tanigansett Pier, R.I.

Due and proper return will be made to me of the action had under this authority, within thirty days of the acceptance, and this disposition filed in the archives of the Commandant, and spread in full upon its Records.

Given under my hand this ninth day of June A.D. 1901, A.C. 188

(Signed) Edwin A. Blodgett,
Grand Commander.

A Commandery of Knight Templars was opened in Free Town at eight o'clock and fifteen minutes with the following Organization

Bro. Sir Richard A. Citwood,	Commander
Bro. Charles S. Samrill,	Generalissimo
Bro. Sir James M. Heaton,	as Captain General
Bro. Leonard W. Ross,	as Senior Warden
Bro. Francis C. Apiston,	as Junior Warden
	Treasurer

Bro. Herbert A. Rhoades,	as Recorder
Bro. Ralph H. Ellingwood,	as Standard Bearer
Bro. David A. McDonald,	as Sword Bearer

Bro. Alex. McL. Cate,	Chausant Guard
Bro. George S. Foster,	Guard
Bro. Fred H. McLaughlin,	"
Bro. Fred W. Damon,	as "
Bro. Robt. J. Cooke,	"
Bro. Lyman S. Weston,	"
Bro. Herman L. Klein,	"
Bro. Geo. W. Bauer,	"
Bro. Wm. J. Ginn,	"
Bro. J. Fred Sampson,	Armorer
Bro. Thomas M. Carter,	Musical Director

The lines were formed promptly and the Sir Knights, to the number of fifty-nine made a short parade to the South Terminal Station, headed by Charles Paul & twenty-five pieces, Bro. Thomas M. Carter leading. At the Station, they were joined by fifty-four ladies who had assembled to participate in the pilgrimage.

The objective point of the pilgrimage was the "New Mathewson House" at the "Pier," which was reached at about 7.

After lunch, some of the Sir Knights engaged in wild sports, and, in the evening, all who so desired participated in a dance.

On Sunday morning the pilgrims were taken on a ride to Point Judith, with their ladies,

at four o'clock and forth five minutes P.M. Sunday, train was taken at Narragansett Pier for Boston (arriving at seven o'clock) and ten minutes, the Commandery returned to the Temple and was closed.

The foregoing Record is made from notes furnished by Sir Robert A. Rhodes

Attest:

J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

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The funeral of Sir Herbert M. Smith was held at No. 6 Parker St. Charlestown on Thursday June 28, at ten thirty o'clock A.M. Boston Commandery was represented by Sir Cyrus P. Austine, and Sir Oliver H. Spaulding, who acted as pall-bearers. Also, by several other members, friends of the deceased.

The funeral of Sir Winfred S. Ames, whose death occurred at the Columbia Hotel, Portland, Me. on June 20, failed to receive notice at the hands of the officers of the Commandery, because no knowledge of the death reached them until many days after its occurrence.

The funeral of Sir Edward T. Gray was held at his late residence, 155 Humboldt Ave., Roxbury, on Wednesday June 18, at 2 o'clock P.M. The Commandery was represented by Sir Henry M. Power, Sir James M. Locke, Sir William H. Cartlet, and Sir James R. Richardson.

The funeral of Sir J. Bartlett Catter was held at his late residence, 15 Autumn St. Longwood, on Friday June 20, at 2 o'clock P.M.

A committee consisting of Sir James M. Meason, Sir Charles D. Underhill, Sir Walter M. Boyden, Sir Henry Estay, and Sir James S. Blake was asked to represent the Commandery at the service.

The funeral of Sir Harry C. Swallow was held at his late residence No. 6 Pigelow St. Cambridge, on Friday July 27, at two-thirty o'clock P.M.

The Commandery was represented, at the service, by
 Sir Henry Endicott,
 Sir Frank A. Kennedy,
 Sir J. Augustine Wade,
 Sir Edward S. Chick,
 Sir Charles W. Sanforth,
 Sir Augustus P. Clarke,
 Sir Francis D. Litchfield,
 Sir Charles L. Russell,
 Sir Herman Bird,
 Sir Edgar F. Hunt.

A. Sylvestre of Boston Commandery, K.T.

Masonic Temple
Boston, Wednesday, Sept. 19, 1906.

Stated Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templar was opened in the Home, in Ionic Hall, at seven o'clock P.M., with the following organization:-

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|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1 E. Sir Richard A. Getwood, | Commander |
| Sir Charles S. Lamull, | Generalissimo |
| <hr/> | |
| Sir Rev. George L. Davis S.D., | Captain General |
| Sir Jesse E. Ames, | Wife |
| Sir Leonard W. Rose, | Senior Warden |
| Sir Oscar F. Allen, | Junior Warden |
| E. Sir J. Gilman Waite, | Treasurer |
| Sir Edw. A. Stone, | Recorder |
| Sir Edgar F. Hunt, | Standard Bearer |
| Sir Frederick C. Garrow, | Sword Bearer |
| Sir Francis H. Appleton, | Warden |
| Sir Joseph T. Paul, | Third Guard |
| Sir Amos C. J. Pope, | Second Guard |
| Sir George S. Foster, | First Guard |
| Sir Edward O. Hatch, | Guard |
| Sir Fred. P. Hayward | " |

Sir Fred. H. McLaughlin,	Guard
Sir J. Frederick Sampson,	"
Sir Thomas M. Carter,	Armorer
Sir Edwin H. Bailey,	Musical Director
Sir Edward F. Jacobs,	Organist
	Sentinel

- 2 Past Eminent Commander present.
E. Sir James M. Gleason
E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield
E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield
E. Sir J. Gilman Waite
- 3 Records.
The records of the last Stated Conclave, and the Special Conclave, June 23, 74, were read and declared approved.
- 4 Reports of committees on the petitions of
Comp. George Duthie Maclean.
Comp. Paul Washburn.
were received.
and ballots were taken, which proved to be clear, and they were declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
- 5 The following petitions for the Ordination

received from:

Comp. Henry Webster Brown
a member of William Parkman Lodge of Win-
chester, and Woburn R. A. Chapter of Woburn
Recommended and vouched for by Sir George P.
Brown and Sir Osman C. Webster
Committee: Sir Robert C. Metcalf, Sir John S. Hall
and Sir George F. Parker.

Comp. Frederick Strong Kingsley
a member of Hampden Lodge of Springfield, Mass.
and St. Pauls R. A. Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir George
H. Paine, and Sir Edward P. Brock.
Committee: Sir J. Arthur Jacobs, Sir Henry W.
Selano and Sir Frank O. Kneeland.

Comp. John H. Leavell
a member of Joseph Webb Lodge, and St.
Pauls R. A. Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir
Abner A. Mason, and Sir Thomas A. Rose.
Committee: Sir David L. Rand, Sir Alex. C.
Nixon, and Sir Percy E. Mayler.

Comp. Robert Wayne Lemont
a member of Lafayette Lodge of Roxbury
and Dorchester R. A. Chapter of 1812 B. I. S.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir

George F. Dartmouth and Sir Fred. P. Hayward
Committee: Sir Fred. V. Muntford, Sir Wm. J.
McDonald, and Sir Myron Fanner.

Comp. Robert Edward Turner
a member of St. John's Lodge, and St.
Pauls R. A. Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Wm.
S. Heath and Sir Edward F. Jacobs.
Committee: Sir Mark P. Campbell, Sir Bliss
Black, and Sir Joseph T. Nye.

Comp. Clifton Henry Wheeler
a member of St. John's Lodge, and St.
Andrews R. A. Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir
Richard A. Alwood, and Sir James S. Blake.
Committee: Sir Geo. E. Homer, Sir Wm. S. Heath,
and Sir Edward F. Jacobs.

6 The following named Sir Knights rose,
upon their written request, granted Li-
mits from the Commanders:

Sir George E. Burke,
Sir George M. Locke,
Sir Harrison Alder.

and certificates were subsequently
issued to them.

Acknowledgements, with expressions of thanks for floral tributes, were received from the families of

Sir Edward T. Gray
Sir J. Pattlett Parker
Sir Havel C. Shallow.

1 The following letter was read:
684 Waller St.

San Francisco Calif, July 11th, 1906.

Sir J. Edmund Waite,
Record Boston Commandery, K.T.,
My dear Sir Brother:

Convey to the members of Boston Commandery my sincere thanks for such a kind & generous remembrance from those I sincerely love. There is no organization on earth I love so much. During the recent visit of the Commandery to San Francisco I had untold pleasure in meeting so many of the old friends. It was a green spot in my life, never to be forgotten.

The loss in the recent quake and fire was severe. The loss of my life companion for more than fifty years almost prostrated me. I have been very weak from the terrible blow, but am slowly recovering. The assurance

that I have friends puts fresh courage in me. God bless you, Sir Knights, one and all.

My daughter, Mrs Wiswell, wife of Prof. Wiswell of Lexington, arrived here July 9th. She handed me your generous token. I am

Sincerely & Fraternally Yours,
D. Gilbert Dexter.

8 The following communication was also read: Copied

Newburyport Commandery
No. 3,
Knights Templar

Newburyport, Mass., Sept. 5, 1906.
Eminent Sir Knight Atwood,
Dear Sir:

We send today a series of resolutions, adopted by Newburyport Commandery, expressing our deep obligation to you, the officers and Sir Knights of Boston Commandery, for the manner in which we were entertained on the occasion of our visit to Boston.

In accepting this formal expression of our appreciation, be also assured,

that neither words nor pen, can convey the added enjoyment, which came to the day by being the recipient of your courteous and knightly hospitality.

We trust that the day is not far distant, when we may have the opportunity of extending to you; your offices and Sir Knights, a warm welcome to our asylum and to this, our city by the sea.

William H. Butler,
D. A. Appleton, Commandr.
Recorder.

The Resolutions, suitably framed, were displayed in the asylum, and subsequently acknowledged.

The Eminent Commandr announced the following deaths:

Sir Herbert Merritt,	June 20. 1906
Sir Alfred S. Ames.	June 20. 1906
Sir Edward T. Gray	July 15. 1906
Sir J. Gadell Patten	July 17. 1906
Sir Harry C. Stratton	July 23. 1906
Sir Freeman M. Josselyn	Sept 15. 1906

and ordered that a page of the Record be inscribed to the memory of each

10. Eminent Sir Charles J. Litchfield, having referred briefly to the loss sustained by St. John's Commandery of Providence, R.I., moved: "That the Recorder be instructed to convey to Saint John's Commandery the sympathy of Boston Commandery in the loss sustained by Saint John's Commandery by the death of its Eminent Commander, Eminent Sir George A. Littlefield." The motion was seconded by Eminent Sir James M. Gleason, and adopted, unanimously, the Sir Knights standing.

11. Correspondence by R. E. Sir William M. Donaldson, Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Pennsylvania, to R. E. Sir Edwin A. Bledgett, Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, and, by the latter, forwarded to Eminent Sir Richard A. Utwood, requesting Boston Commandery to confer for Tauced Commandery No. 448, Stationed at Pittsburgh, within the jurisdiction of the Grand Commandery of Pennsylvania the Order of Malta upon Sir Knight John F. McClaine, ^{was read} the Com.

new Commander stated that he had consented to render this service in response to the foregoing request.

Sir Knight John H. McClain was then introduced into the Commandery and the Order of Knights of Malta was conferred upon him in short form.

- 12 At eight o'clock and fifteen minutes the business of the Commandery was suspended, and a Council of the Red Cross opened for the reception of candidates, and

Comp. George Lamont Hunter,
Comp. Paul Washburn,
were created and constituted Companions of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross in due form and with full ceremony.

- 13 At nine thirty o'clock, the Council of the Red Cross was closed, and business resumed in the Commandery.

- 14 On motion, it was voted: That a committee of five be appointed to nominate a list of candidates to be balloted on by the Commandery, at its

Annual Conclave, October 11, next, for officers for the ensuing Temple year and to report its action to the Commandery, in print.

The following named Sir Knights were appointed a committee:

Sir James D. Rouineau.

Sir Robert F. Ford

Sir Freeman S. Atkins,

Sir Horace P. Blackman,

Sir James Crowder.

No further business appearing, the Commandery was closed in due form, at nine o'clock and forty minutes P.M. The lines were formed and the Sir Knights proceeded to the Banquet Hall.

(1) The record

Attest:

William Waite
Recorder

Sir Knights in uniform 30

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1906

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| 15 | Commandery closed | 333 |

In Memoriam
Sir Robert Merritt

Born in Andover, Mass. { November 24, 1850.

Raised a Master Mason in Soley Lodge,
Somerville, Mass., April 18, 1887.

Enrolled a Royal Arch Mason in St. Paul's
Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, June 21, 1887

Dubbs and created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commander of Knights Templar
June 19, 1889

Admitted to Membership
June 19. 1889

Died at Wilmington
Mass
Tuesday June 26
1896

In Memoriam

Sir Winfred Sedgwick Ames.

Born at Auburn, Mass., May 9, 1858.

Raised a Master Mason in Mt. Lebanon Lodge, Boston, Mass., December 11, 1893.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrew's Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, March 7, 1894.

Dubbed and created a Knight of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, a Knight Templar in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar April 18, 1894.

Admitted to Membership.
April 18, 1894.

Died at Portland,
Maine,
Wednesday, June 20,
1906.

In Memoriam

Sir Edward Tetter Gray

Born at Boston, Mass., November 20, 1832.

Raised a Master Mason in Middlesex Lodge Framingham, Mass., December 11, 1856.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Paul's Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, December 1, 1857.

Dubbed and created a Knight of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, a Knight Templar in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar April 12, 1865.

Admitted to Membership
September 20
1865.

Died at Boston, Mass.,
Sunday, July 15
1906.

In Memoriam

Sir Isaac Bartlett Parker

Born in Kingston, N.H., April 26, 1826

Raised a Master Mason in St. John's Lodge
Boston, Mass., November 21, 1863Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrew's
Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, January 4, 1864.Dubbed and created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar
in Boston, Commandery of Knights Templar
March 8, 1865Admitted to Membership
May 17, 1865Died at Longwood,
Mass.,
Tuesday, July 17,
1906.

In Memoriam

Sir Flavell Coolidge Stratton

Born at Cambridge, February 14, 1840

Raised a Master Mason in Crawford Lodge
No. 234, Medford, Pa. April 7, 1864

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in

Dubbed and created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar
in Boston, Commandery of Knights Templar
March 15, 1876Admitted to Membership
May 17, 1876Died at Cambridge, Mass.,
Monday, July 23
1906

a Life Member

In Memoriam

Sir Freeman Marshall Josselyn

Born in Pembroke, Mass., February 15, 1825

Raised a Master Mason in Gate of the Temple Lodge, South Boston, June 19, 1855.

Exalted in Haverly Royal Arch Chapter Melrose, Mass. August 5, 1863

Dubbed and created a Knight of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, a Knight Templar, in Boston Commandery of Knights Templars February 11, 1864

Admitted to Membership
March 16, 1864

Died in Boston,
Mass.
Saturday, September 15,
1906

Weyland of Boston Commandery A.T.

Masonic Temple
Boston Wednesday

October 17, 1906

One hundred first Annual Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in New York at six thirty clock P.M.

Officers present

1 Sir Richard A. Alwood	Commander
Charles S. Samuell	Generalissimo
Sir James S. Blake	Captain General
-----	Private
Sir Jesse E. Ames	Senior Warden
Sir Leonard W. Rose	Junior Warden
Sir Oscar F. Allen	Treasurer
E. Sir J. Gilman Waite	Recorder
Sir Edwin A. Stone	Standard Bearer
Sir Edgar T. Hunt	Sword Bearer
Sir Frederick L. Brown	Master of Ceremonies
Sir Francis H. Appleton	Third Guard
Sir Joseph T. Paul	Second Guard
-----	First Guard
Sir George S. Foster	Guard
Sir Edward C. Foster	

Sir Fred P. Hayward. Guard

Sir Fred H. M. Laughlin. Guard

Sir J. Frederick Schuyler. Guard

Sir Thomas M. Carter. Master

Sir Eben H. Bailey. Guard

Sir Edward F. Jacobs. Guard

2 Past Eminent Commander present

Emt. Sir James M. Giesse

Emt. Sir Eugene A. Walton

Emt. Sir Charles S. Litchfield

Emt. Sir Henry H. Litchfield

Emt. Sir Wm. P. Lawrence

Emt. Sir J. Silman Waite

Emt. Sir John H. Brown

Emt. Sir Rinaldo P. Richardson

Record

The record of the last Stated Conclave was read and approved.

4 Reports of the committees to which were referred the petitions.

Comp. Harry Webster Brown

Comp. Frederick Strong King

Comp. John H. Brown

Comp. Robert Wayne Leonard

Comp. Robert Edward Turner

Comp. Clifton Henry Thuler
were received, and ballots taken which in each case proved to be clear and they were accordingly declared to be elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood in Boston Commandery, N.Y.

Petitions for the Orders of Knighthood were received from:

Comp. Harry Sloan Masden.

Residence: 16 Patavia St. Boston

Occupation: Salesman: Boots & Shoes

Place of Business: 614 Atlantic Ave. Boston

Member: Amicable Lodge Cambridge

N. Andrews R.A. Chapter Boston, Mass.

Recommended and vouched for by Sir Edw. F. Jacobs and Sir Walter P. Ellis

Committee: Sir Fred. W. Abbott, Sir Frank M. Alwood, and Sir Frank E. Bacon

Comp. Louis Frederick Hawley

Residence: 1654 Massachusetts Av. Cambridge

Occupation: Broker

Place of Business: 50 Congress St. Boston

Member: Lafayette Lodge No. 100, Hartford

Cambridge R.A. Chapter Cambridge

Recommended and vouched for by Sir Roy A. Fay and Sir J. Silman Waite

Committee: Sir Henry W. Patterson

Friend C. J. Pope, Sir Franklin D. ...
 Comp. Thomas Mason.
 Residence: 107 Dorchester St. Boston
 Occupation: Treasurer; Lodge. Mason.
 Place of Business: 12 Clarendon St. Boston
 Member of St. John's Lodge and St. Andrews
 R. A. Chapter of Boston
 Recommended and vouched for by
 John E. Ames and Sir Edward F. Jacobs
 Committee: Sir Wilbert Soule, Sir George
 Steadman, and Sir Milton D. Stephens.

Comp. Milton Everett. Mun. ay.
 Residence: Woodstock Ave. Allston
 Occupation: Manufacturing Chemist
 Place of Business: 210 State St. Boston
 Member of Gate of the Temple Lodge and
 St. Matthew R. A. Chapter of Boston
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir Paul
 C. H. Allen and Sir Joseph T. Paul
 Committee: Sir Harrie H. Whitman
 Henry W. Higgins and Sir John M. Wilson

Comp. Hubert Surgis Pollock
 Residence: 121 Cambridge St. Boston
 Occupation: Electrical Engineer
 Place of Business: 24 Commerce St. Boston
 Member of Abre don Lodge and

St. Pauls R. A. Chapter of Boston.
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir James
 T. M. Donald and Sir James W. Rounius
 Committee: Sir Edward H. Winsor, Sir George
 O. White and Sir Edward A. West.

Comp. Willis Hanson Seavey
 Residence: 46 Maywood St. Boston
 Occupation: Clerk, Route Agt. Am. Exp. Co
 Place of Business: 43 Franklin St. Boston
 Member of Washington Lodge, Roxbury,
 and St. Pauls R. A. Chapter, Boston
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir
 George H. Witham and Sir Charles S. Darnall
 Committee: Sir Geo. W. Topham, Sir George
 A. Tilcomb and Sir Hugh J. Taggart

Comp. William James Smith
 Residence: 66 Sullivan St. Charlestown
 Occupation: Jeweler & Watch
 Place of Business: 36 Sullivan St. "
 Member of Adelphi Lodge and St. Mat.
 thew R. A. Chapter of Boston
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir George
 A. Foster, and Sir Frederick S. Davis
 Committee: Sir Robert Devore, Sir Fred-
 erick H. Hagan and Sir George Macdonald

Temple Street.

Nov. 15th to attend the funeral of Sir Charles O. Burrill, at Rhoades Memorial Chapel, Pine Grove Cemetery, Lynn.

Dec 20th to attend the funeral of Sir Stark H. Davis, at his late residence 150 Broadway, Somerville.

March 11th to attend the funeral of Sir Charles M. Ward, at St Marys Episcopal Church, Uphams Corner, Dorchester.

June 23^d to make a pilgrimage with ladies to Narragansett Pier R. I. returning on the 24th.

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Work

During the year forty-one applications for the Order have been received, thirty-four of which were accepted, one rejected, and sit await action at the October Conclave.

The Illustrious Order of the Red Cross has been conferred on thirty-three Companions, and thirty-one Companions of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross have been dubbed and created Knights of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, Knights Templar and Knights of Malta.

The Order of Knights of Malta

was also conferred on Sir Knight John T. McClain of Tancred Commandery No. 48, of Pittsburgh Penna.

Membership

The number of members reported September 30, 1905, was 1011
number admitted during the year ending

September 30, 1906. 31

number affiliated from other Commanderies 4

number reinstated 1

making a total of 1047

from which there is to be deducted
Number admitted during the year 7

" Suspended for non-pay-
ment of dues 4

" died 28 39

leaving a total membership 1008
September 30, 1906,

a loss during the year of 3

The membership is divided, as follows:-

Honorary Members 6

Life 351

Members paying annual dues 651

Total 1008

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Annual dues

The amount of dues committed to the Records for collection was as follows:-

Unpaid dues for the year 1902	\$ 8.00
" " " " 1903	90.00
" " " " 1904	432.00
" " " " 1905	2641.05
Dues assessed for the year ending September 30, 1906	5160.00
" subsequently charged	154.65
" paid in advance	16.00
Total	<u>\$ 8502.60</u>

which is accounted for as follows:-

Cash for dues received	\$ 4680.61
Dues remitted by the Commandery	46.00
" " Finance Committee	260.00
" cancelled by direct	16.00
" " suspension	136.00
" " death	104.00
" remaining unpaid for the year 1903	16.00
" " " " 1904	48.00
" " " " 1905	504.00
" " " " 1906	2641.32
making a total, as above	<u>8502.60</u>

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Finances

Recorder

The Recorder has received the following amounts:-

For Orders	\$ 3000.00
" membership	200.00
" Life Memberships	240.00

For annual dues	\$ 4680.61
" rental of cases	64.00
" sale of tickets "Ladies night"	1260.00
" " " " St. John's	
Way pil. grimage	1017.00
From St Paul's Chapter on ac.	
Contribution of funeral of Samuel Gregory	50.00
Contribution for California Sufferers	740.00
Total	<u>\$ 11251.61</u>

All of which he has paid over to the Treasurer and holds his receipts for the same.

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Treasurer

The Treasurer had on hand at last annual report, Sept 30, 1905, \$199.72
He has received from the Recorder,

For Dues	\$ 4680.61
" Orders	3000.00
" Membership	200.00
" Life " "	240.00
" rental of Cases	64.00
" sale of tickets:-	
Ladies night	1260.00
St John's way pilgrimage	1017.00
" funeral expenses	
for Samuel Gregory	50.00
" California Sufferers	740.00
" interest on deposits	25.77

From Trustees Permanent Fund,
income
making a grand total of

	\$ 2148.05
	<u>\$ 13625.15</u>

Disbursements.

His disbursements for which he holds proper vouchers, and bills approved by the Finance Committee have been as follows: -

For Rent	\$ 3327.00
" telephone	70.00
" insurance	127.76
" rent of safe deposit vaults	15.00
" Records, plays, copying Records,	489.18
" Stationery and sundries	
" Ammon's salary and assistance,	289.20
and sundries,	
" Sentinel	50.00
" Books, Stationery, printing and	
mailing notices,	733.65
" Music at Conclave	16.00
" Flowers	4.00
" Illustrating Prelates Work	47.50
" Collations, and Cigars	108.00
" additions to paraphernalia	26.00
" Church	75.00
" cleaning parlor, and sundries	23.00
" Past Commanders Jewel	210.00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	95.00

Funeral expenses

For Advertising death notices	\$ 82.45
" Notifications	56.00
" Flowers	250.00
" Lunches and cigars	51.36
" Cars and fares	40.00
" Music	80.00
" Ammon	20.00
	529.81

Ladies night

Grand Lodge for use of Temple	\$ 100.00
Flowers, Electric lights, decorations	154.00
Collations	784.00
Music, Entertainment	191.00
Printing	77.50
Police, and attendance	25.00
	1334.50

St. Johns Day pilgrimage

Railroad fares	313.72
Grand	75.00
Hotel	575.00
Sports	5.25
Printing	26.25
Ammon and assistance	15.00
	1010.22

Sur to California Sisters

	740.00
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Grand Commandery dues

	217.00
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Trustees Permanent Fund. L. F. Membership

	240.00
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" " " " " " " " " " " "

	797.00
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Palace Cash on hand Byliston Year Paid

	1412.37
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Total

	<u>13625.15</u>
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4th The assets of the Commandery consist of
 Unpaid dues amounting to \$3209.32
 Cash in Boylston Star Bank 1412.31
 Unexpended Amory Fund 581.00
 in addition to which is the per-
 manent Fund 54324.73
 fully described in the report of the
 Trustees.
 The burial lot at Mt. Hope Cemetery,
 and the furniture, paraphernalia,
 and sundries, itemized in the
 Amory's report.

There are no liabilities

9th Dues recommended to the Records for collection:
 Dues unpaid for 1903 \$16.00
 " " " 1904 48.00
 " " " 1905 504.00
 " " " 1906 2641.32
 Total amt. pending
 to which add
 Dues assessed for 1906 5208.00
 makes a total of \$8417.32
 committed for collection

Very courteously submitted

Richard A. Atwood } Finance
 Charles S. Samuell }
 James S. Blaine } Committee

on motion it was voted, that the report of
 the Standing Committee on Finance be ac-
 cepted and spread upon the Records

10 On motion of Sir William A. Barr,
 it was voted, that Boston Commandery, K.
 Tenter a protest in the Grand Commandery
 against the report of the Committee on Ju-
 risprudence referring to "the matter
 in the address of Grand Command-
 er Hecsey delivered in Annual Con-
 clave October 27th 1904 relating
 to orders, and in connexion (con-
 nection) therewith, the absence of
 Boston Commandery No. 2 from the
 Triennial parade at San Francisco
 September 6th 1904, made at the Annual
 Conclave of the Grand Commandery
 October 31st 1905, for the reason
 that said report is not in accordance
 with the facts in the case, that Boston
 Commandery had no opportunity to
 present its side of the case and
 also for the further reason that great
 injustice has been done the Com-
 mandery by said report.

Voted, that a committee of three
 be appointed to bring this matter
 before the Grand Commandery at the

Annual Conclave October 31st 1906 and request that the case be reopened, and that a Committee of five be appointed to consider the matter, the parties interested to be granted a hearing, and a report to be made to the Grand Commander at the Semi-Annual Conclave in May 1907 and that said Committee be given full power to take any further action that in their judgment may seem necessary or proper in the premises.

Em. Sir William P. Lawrence,
Em Sir Eugene A. Holton,
Sir James S. Blake, Genl.

were appointed the committee

11 On motion, it was then Voted, that the Commandery proceed to a selection of officers for the ensuing year.

12 The committee appointed at the September Conclave, to nominate a list of candidates to be balloted on for officers at the Annual Conclave submitted the following report:

To the Eminent Commander,

Courteously yours James D. Forrester,
Freeman S. Atkins,
George P. Alachman,
Robert F. Ford,
Samuel Crowell.

and Sir Knights of Boston Commandery.
The committee appointed to nominate officers report as follows:

For Commander,	Sir Charles S. Jamieson
" Generalissimo.	Sir James S. Blake,
" Captain General.	Sir Jesse E. Ames,
" Orator	Sir Rev. Geo. L. Perry D. D.,
" Senior Warden	Sir Leonard M. Rose,
" Junior Warden	Sir Frederick C. Graves,
" Treasurer	Sir Oscar F. Allen,
" Recorder	Emr. Sir J. Gilman Waite
" Trustee of the Permanent Fund for three years	Sir Hubert A. Rhoads

On motion, it was voted to accept their report and proceed to a ballot.

The following Tellers were appointed

13 I Sir John H. North,
Sir Ezekiah M. Laughlin
Sir George E. Stratton.

II Sir Richard Hapgood,
Sir Charles A. Grant,
Sir A. D. Freeman.

The balloting proceeded as follows:

14 Whole number of votes cast for
Eminent Commander was 160
Sir Charles S. Jamull had 159
and was elected

Whole number of votes cast for
Generalissimo was 144
Sir James S. Blake had 144
and was elected, unanimously

Whole number of votes cast for
Captain General was 135
Sir Jesse E. Ames had 120
and was elected

Whole number of votes cast for
Prelate was 127
Sir Rev. George L. Penin had 127
and was elected, unanimously

Whole number of votes cast for
Senior Warden was 123
Sir Leonard W. Ross had 120
and was elected

Whole number of votes cast for
Junior Warden was 122
Sir Frederick O. Evans had 122
and was elected, unanimously

Whole number of votes cast for
Treasurer was 116
Sir Oscar H. Allen had 116
and was elected, unanimously

Whole number of votes cast for
Recorder was 119
Em. Sir J. Gilman Waite had 117
and was elected

Whole number of votes cast for
Trustee of the Permanent Fund 117
Sir Robert A. Rhoades had 116
and was elected

15 At the conclusion of the ballot for Em.
minent Commander, a committee, con-
sisting of the Past Eminent Comman-
deers present:

Em. Sir James M. Gleason Chairman
Em. Sir Eugene A. Holtom
Em. Sir Charles S. Litchfield
Em. Sir Henry H. Litchfield
Em. Sir William P. Lawrence
Em. Sir J. Gilman Waite
Em. Sir John W. Bowker
Em. Sir Rinaldo B. Richardson

was appointed
to wait upon and introduce the Em.

inent Commander elect into the City Room

The committee attended to the duty assigned to it and returned with the Eminent Commander elect in charge. Em. Sir Gleason, in his chosen words presented the Eminent Commander elect to Eminent Sir Otwood who was pleased to convey to Sir Knight Samuell the very flattering manner in which the Sir Knights of the Commandery had called him to the highest office in their gift and requested his acceptance of the office.

Sir Knight Samuell, with much earnestness and sincerity of feeling, expressed his thanks to the Sir Knights for the preference they had shown in calling him to this high office, with its attendant responsibilities, and pledged his best efforts in the discharge of the duties devolving upon him.

Installation

- 16 Eminent Sir Otwood then invited Em. Sir Charles S. Litchfield, Em. Grand Generalissimo of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island,

to assume the East for the purpose of installing the officers.

On assuming the East, the Grand Generalissimo invited Em. Sir Henry H. Litchfield to assist in the installation, as Grand Warden.

Sir Charles S. Samuell, having been installed Eminent Commander of the Commandery, announced the following appointments:

Associate Prelate	Sir Walter P.ripp.
Standard Bearer	Sir Edwin A. Stone.
Sword Bearer	Sir Edgar F. Hunt.
Warden	Sir Francis H. Appleton.
Capt of the Guard	Sir Joseph T. Paul.
Guard	Sir George S. Foster.
"	Sir Fred H. McLaughlin.
"	Sir Edward O. Hatch.
"	Sir Edward R. Rock.
"	Sir Francis H. Appleton Jr.
"	Sir Ralph M. Smyth.
"	Sir Charles H. Howard.
"	Sir Horace A. Jordan.
"	Sir George W. Paver.
Armorer	Sir J. Frederick Sampson.
Musical Director	Sir Thomas M. Carter.
Organist	Sir Eben H. Pailor.

Sentinel	Sir Edward F. Jacob
Grandmaster	Sir Keziah M. Laughlin
National Color Bearer	Sir David A. M. Donald
Quartermaster	Sir Richard Hapgood
Commissary	Sir Keziah M. Laughlin
Adjutant	Sir Conrad M. Gielach
Surgeon	Sir James Crook
Asst. Surgeon	Sir Edgar Wright Hill
"	Sir Wm. J. Boardman

Em. Sir Jamrell then resigned the East to the Grand Generalissimo, who proceeded with the installation as follows:

Sir James S. Blake	Generalissimo
Sir Jesse E. Ames	Captain General
Sir Leonard M. Rose	Senior Warden
Sir Frederick Graves	Junior Warden
Em. Sir J. Gilman Waite	Recorder
Sir Edwin A. Stone	Standard Bearer
Sir Edgar F. Hunt	Sword Bearer
Sir Francis H. Appleton	Ward
Sir Joseph T. Paul	Captain of the Guard
Sir George S. Foster	Guard
Sir Fred H. M. Laughlin	"
Sir Edward O. Hatch	"
Sir Edward A. Boardman	"
Sir Francis H. Appleton	"
Sir Ralph M. Hunt	"

Sir Charles A. Howard	Guard
Sir Horace A. Jordan	"
Sir George M. Bauer	"
Sir Thomas M. Catel	Musical Director
Sir J. Frederick Sampson	Announcer
Sir Eben H. Pailer	Organist
Sir Edward F. Jacob	Sentinel

and proclamation was made, that the officers of Boston Commandery, elected and appointed, with the exception of Treasurer, Orlake, and Associate Orlake, were duly installed into office and the Commandery was duly organized for the transaction of any business that may be presided regularly.

Subsequently, the following appointments were made:

Adjutant	Sir Conrad M. Gielach
Chief of Staff	Sir Henry B. Litchfield
Surgeon	Sir James Crook
"	Asst. Sir Edgar Wright Hill
"	Sir William Boardman
Commissary	Sir Richard Hapgood
Quartermaster	Sir Keziah M. Laughlin
Grandmaster	Sir George L. H. Sampson
National Color Bearer	Sir David A. M. Donald
Underly to the E. Commander	Sir Fred V. Muntzfeldt
Paul Guide	Sir L. Weston White

At the close of the installation, the thanks of the Commandery were extended to the Eminent Sir Knight, Litchfield for services rendered to the Commandery in the installation of its officers.

No further business appearing, the Commandery was closed in due form, the lights formed, and the Sir Knights repaired to the Pangloss Hall where a social hour was passed.

A true record

attest: J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

17 At the conclusion above recorded, the following named Sir Knights:

Sir Horace C. Fessenden

Sir George E. Hunt

Sir Albert R. Smith

Sir George C. Stearns

Sir Dudley L. Loomis

Sir Alson M. Lyman

requested an honorable discharge from the Commandery, and, being clear on the books, their request was granted.

attest:

J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

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The funeral of Sir Edward C. Poyden was held at No. 16 Ellery St. Canal Bridge, on Wednesday, October 31, at two-thirty o'clock P.M.

Sir Knights:

Chas. E. Parnell; Geo. A. Griffith;
Enoch Bean; Edward Griffith;
Geo. R. Farrell; Nicholas Pechtel;
Julius Stons; and Hubert L. Pundy,
represented the Commandery.
Announcement of the death of
Sir Henry Poff Jr., at Neubaden,
Germany, on the 18th of October, ult.,
has been received from his family.

The funeral of Sir William L. Parker was held at No. 15 Columbia St. Brookline on Tuesday, 6th inst., at eleven o'clock A.M.

Sir Knights:

James S. Blake, Sen.; Jesse E. Ames, Ch.;
Fred H. McLaughlin; Geo. U. Parker
represented the Commandery.

The funeral of Sir Thomas F. Ashley was held at his late residence 54 Gardner St. Allston, on Monday, November 12, at 3 o'clock P.M.

The Commandery was represented by a Committee.

Asylum of Boston Commandery, K.T.

Masonic Temple
Boston, Wednesday,

November 21, 1901.

Stated Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templar was opened in due form at six o'clock P.M. with the following organization:

Em. Sir Charles S. Samuels,	Commander
Sir James S. Blake,	Generalissimo
Sir Jesse E. Ames,	Captain General
Sir Leonard V. Rose,	Senior Warden
Sir Frederick C. Graves,	Junior Warden
Sir Rev. George L. Perin, D.D.,	Priest
Sir Oscar F. Allen,	Treasurer
Em. Sir William H. Hall,	Recorder
Sir Edwin A. Stone,	Standard Bearer
Sir Edgar F. Hunt,	Sword Bearer
Sir Francis H. Appleton,	Warden
Sir Joseph H. Stone,	Captain of the Guard
Sir George S. Stone,	Guard
Sir Fred H. McLaughlin,	"
Sir Ralph M. Smith,	"
Sir Edward R. Brock,	"
Sir Francis H. Appleton, Jr.	"

Sir Edward O. Hatch.
 Sir Charles W. Howard.
 Sir Frank A. Jordan.
 Sir George U. Oliver.

Guard

Em. Sir Henry H. Litchfield: Adjutant
 Chief of Staff

Assistant

Sir Richard Hapgood, Quartermaster
 Sir Joseph M. Laughlin, Quartermaster
 Sir George L. H. Morrison, Quartermaster
 Sir David A. M. Donald, National Standard Bearer
 Sir Frederick Sampson, Quartermaster
 Sir Edward T. Jacobs, Quartermaster
 Sir Thomas M. Carter, Musical Director
 Sir E. W. H. Carter, Quartermaster

Orderly to Em. Commander
 Band

2 Past Eminent Commanders present:
 Em. Sir James M. Gleason,
 Em. Sir Charles J. Litchfield
 Em. Sir Henry H. Litchfield
 Sir J. Gilman Waite,
 Em. Sir Richard A. Carter.

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Records.

The record of the annual Conclave, October 17, was read and declared approved.

4 Reports of committees appointed on the petition:

Comp. Harry Sloan Amundson.

Comp. Louis Frederick Hawley.

Comp. Thomas Mason.

Comp. Milton Everett Murray.

Comp. Hubert Angus Potter.

Comp. Willis Hanson Seaver.

Comp. William James Smith.

were received and ballots taken, which, in each case proved to be clear and they were declared to be eligible to receive the Orders of Knighthood in Boston Commandery, N. T.

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Release of Jurisdiction.

Action was taken upon the following request:

Saint Omer Commandery.

Knights Templar.

Boston, September 25, 1906.

J. Gilman Waite, Esq.
 Records Boston Commandery, N. T.

Eminent Sir and Dear Brother
 I most respectfully request, in behalf of
 Saint Omer Commandery K.T., that
 Boston Commandery K.T. release juris-
 diction over Companion Louis Arnold
 Curtis, a petitioner for the Orders of
 Knighthood in Saint Omer Commuan-
 dery K.T.

Yours condescenting
 (Signed) Wm Morris

Records

A ballot was taken on the foregoing request,
 which proved to be clear, and the re-
 quest for release of jurisdiction over
 Comp. Louis Arnold Curtis to Saint
 Omer Commandery was declared to
 be granted.

On motion, it was voted: That a committee
 of five be appointed by the Commander
 with full powers to provide a series of
 winter entertainments for Boston Com-
 mandery, consisting of an afternoon for
 children, an evening for young
 folks, and a ladies night.

Subsequently, the following Sir Knights
 were appointed on the Committee:

Em. Sir Eugene A. Hottel
 Sir Francis H. Appleton
 Sir Charles E. Parmelee
 Sir William J. Gurley
 Sir Franklin L. Goldman

The following deaths were announced,
 and a page of the Records was ordered
 to be inscribed to the memory of each:

Sir Henry Pfaff Jr.	October 18, 1906
Sir Edward C. Foyden	October 29, 1906
Sir Wm. Lionel Baker	November 3, 1906
Sir Thomas C. Ashby	November 9, 1906

Petition for the Orders was received from
 Comp. Frank Munroe Nookan
 Residence: 1075 Baylton St., Boston.
 Occupation: Manager; Barber's supplies
 Place of Business: 38 Portland St., Boston
 Member of Mount Lebanon Lodge, and St.
 Paul's R.A. Chapter of Boston.
 Recommended, and vouched for by Sir Ed-
 ward C. Hatch and Sir James S. Plater.
 Committee: Sir Samuel P. Sadger, Sir John
 L. ~~Franklin~~ ^{Franklin} and Sir George W. Bradburn

Official Circular,
 Series 1906-1907. No. 1.

10 also: General Orders
Series 1906-1907, No. 1,
were received and ordered to be placed
on file.

11 At six o'clock and forty-five minutes, the
business of the Commandery was suspended
and a Council of the Illustrious Order
of the Red Cross opened for the reception
of candidates, and,

Comp. Frederick Strong Kingsley,
Comp. John H. Leavell,
12 Comp. Robert Wayne Lemmon,
Comp. Robert Edward Turney,
Comp. Clifton Henry Wheeler,
Comp. Henry Sloan Comstock,
Comp. Louis Frederick Hawley,
Comp. Milton Everett Murray,
Comp. Robert Sturgis Potter,
Comp. Willis Hanson Seaman,
Comp. William James Smith.

were created and constituted Com-
panions of the Illustrious Order of the
Red Cross in due form and with
full ceremony.

13 At nine o'clock and fifteen minutes, the
Council of the Illustrious Order of the
Red Cross was closed and the business

of the Commandery resumed.

14 No further business appearing, the Com-
mandery was closed in due form,
the lights formed, and the Sir Knights
proceeded to the Banquet Hall.

Sir Knights in uniform 40
" visitors 31

A. true record:

Attest:

J. Gimran Waite
Recorder

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In Memoriam

Sir Henry Pfaff Jr

Born in Boston August 12, 1848

Raised a Master Mason in Hammett Lodge
East Boston, Mass. November 22, 1871.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Goodwin R.
A. Chapter No. 36, Asbury Park N.J.

Subbed and created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple.

a Knight Templar
in forson Commandery of Knights Templar No.
15 of Asbury Park N.J.

Admitted to Membership
July 11, 1901

Died at Wiesbaden
Wednesday, October 18
1906

In Memoriam

Sir Edward Cleveland Boyd

Born in Boston, Mass. May 2, 1850

Raised a Master Mason St. John's Lodge,
Boston, Mass. June 5, 1876Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Paul's
R. A. Chapter, Boston, January 16, 1877Dubbed and created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templars
April 18, 1877,Admitted to Membership
June 20, 1877Died at Cambridge, Mass.
Monday, October, 29,
1900

A. Life Member

In Memoriam

Sir William Lionel Baker

Born in Syracuse, N. Y., August 13, 1875

Raised a Master Mason in Beth-horn Lodge,
Brookline, Mass., May 9, 1899Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Paul's
Chapter, Boston, Mass., March 18, 1902Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templars
August 16, 1904.Admitted to Membership
August 16, 1904.Died in Brookline, Mass.
Saturday November 3,
1906.

In Memoriam

Sir Thomas Park Ashley

Born in New Bedford Mass, May 2, 1847

Raised a Master Mason in Pithuda Lodge
Brighton Mass, January 27, 1880

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St Pauls
Royal Arch Chapter Boston, April 19, 1892

Dubbed and created a knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,

a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
June 15, 1892.

Admitted to Membership
June 15, 1892.

Died in Allston, Mass.
Friday November 9,

1906

The funeral of Sir Fred C. Vegrelak was
held in St. Mary's Episcopal Church at
Upham's Corner, Dorchester, Monday No-
vember 26, at two o'clock P.M.

The Commandery was represented at
the service, by Sir Knights, George A.
Jones, Edward P. Upham, Henry
Hall, John L. Bird

Interment was in Boston Commandery's
lot, in Mt. Hope Cemetery, by his request

The funeral of Sir Thomas L. Perry
was held at his late residence No. 12
Westwood Road, Somerville, on Tuesday
November 27, at one o'clock P.M.

Sir Knights Charles A. Amable, Nelson
Beckwith, William D. Holmes, George
A. Lovejoy, Herman W. Bailey, John J. Hig-
gins, were appointed a committee
to represent the Commandery at the
service.

The funeral of Sir Otis H. Marion,
No. 1, was held at his late residence
No. 22 Harvard Avenue, Allston, on
Friday November 30, at two o'clock
P.M. The Commandery was represent-
ed at the service by Sir Leonard H.

Ross Senior Warden, and Sir Knights
 Escan M. Chandler, Samuel Crowell,
 Edward F. Jacob, Charles P. Wood, Ed-
 ward F. Jacob, Elmer H. Littlefield,
 and Horan A. Jordan; Sir Knight
 Chandler represented the Commandery,
 and Sir Knight Crowell, the Sons
 of the American Revolution, as Honora-
 ry pall-bearers.

The services were placed in charge of
 Gen.

The funeral of Sir William F. Ab-
 bott was held at the residence of
 his father, No. 13 Park St., Harrison
 Square, Dorchester, on Wednesday
 December 12, at ten o'clock A.M.
 Sir Knights, Herbert W. Adams, Fred
 V. Mulford, Harry G. Howe, Charles
 W. Pease, Elmer P. Oakman, Wal-
 ter L. Souza, Frank G. Ewell,
 were appointed a committee to
 represent the Commandery at the
 services.

The funeral of Sir Frank E. Smith
 was held at his late residence, No.
 173 Pearl St. Somerville, on Sat-
 urday, December 15, at two o'clock
 P.M.

The following Sir Knights were re-
 quested to represent the Commun-
 dery at the funeral: Sir Jesse
 E. Ames, Captain General, Sir Ed-
 mer H. Spaulding, Sir John L. Gale,
 Sir Henry L. Coffin, Sir Frank
 M. Shuttleff, Sir Frank S. Prime

Asylum of Boston Commandery

Masonic Temple
Boston, Wednesday

December, 19, 1906.

Stated Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Due Form at five o'clock and thirty minutes, P.M., with the following organization:

1. Sir Charles S. Samuell,	Commander
Sir James S. Blake,	Generalissimo
Sir Jesse E. Ames,	Captain General
Sir Leonard M. Ross,	Senior Warden
Sir Frederick C. Graves,	Junior Warden
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Sir Oscar F. Allen,	Prelate
Em Sir J. Gilman Waite	Treasurer
Sir Edwin A. Stone,	Recorder
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Sir Francis H. Appleton,	Standard Bearer
Sir Joseph T. Davis,	Sword Bearer
Sir George S. Foster,	Warden
Sir Fred. H. McLaughlin,	Captain of the Guard
Sir Edward O. Hatch,	Guard
Sir Edward P. Brock,	Guard
	Guard

	Guard
Sir Ralph M. Smyth	Guard
Sir Charles W. Howard	Guard
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Sir Horace A. Jordan,	Guard
Sir George U. Bauer	Guard
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Em Sir Henry H. Litchfield	Adjutant
	Chief of Staff
	Surgeon
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	Asst. Surgeon
	Asst. Surgeon
	Commissionary
Sir Hezekiah M. Laughlin	Quartermaster
Sir George L. H. Morgan,	Paucant Officer
Sir David A. McDonald	National Standard Bearer
Sir J. Frederick Sampson,	Armorer
Sir Edward J. Jackson,	Sentinel
Sir Thomas M. Carter	Musical Director
Sir Edwin C. Parker	Organist
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	Aide to E. Commander
	Paul Smith

1' Sir Knight Generalissimo was assisted in his work by Em Sir Henry H. Litchfield; and the work of the Prelate was performed by Em Sir Charles Litchfield, assisted by Em Sir James M. Johnson, the Prelate being detained by illness.

2 Past Eminent Commanders present.

- 1 Em. Sir James McGleason,
- 3 Em. Sir Charles J. Litchfield,
- 4 Em. Sir Henry H. Litchfield,
- 2 Em. Sir Eugene A. H. H. H.,
Em. Sir J. Gilman Waites,
Em. Sir Rinaldo B. Richardson,
Em. Sir Richard A. Alwood

3 Records.

The record of the last Stated Conclave, November 21, was read and declared approved.

4 The reports of the committee on the petition of

Comp. Frank Munroe Norman,
not having been received, no action was taken thereon.

5 Petitions for the Aides were received from:

Comp. Harry Julian Besarick
Residence: 36 Old St., Dorchester,
Occupation: Real Estate, and Insurance
Place of Business: 10 Pemberton Square, Boston
A member of Joseph M. Lodge and
Dorchester R. A. Chapter, of Boston.

Recommended and vouched for by Sir James
S. Blake and Sir Francis H. Appleton
Committee: Sir George E. Savory, Sir Edward
O. Mansfield, Sir John Wedgell

Comp. Clifford Weston Brewer.
Residence: 15 Magoon Avenue Medford
Occupation: Clerk: Banking
Place of Business: 115 Devonshire St. Boston
A member of Mount Vernon Lodge and
Mystic R. A. Chapter of Medford.

Recommended and vouched for by Sir Gil-
bert H. Dodge and Sir Herman L. Russell
Committee: Sir Frank S. Jones & Sir Wm. O.
Lawrence, Sir William A. Buckley.

Comp. Silas Hodgson Bunker.
Residence: 247 Tremont St. Boston
Occupation: General Manager Automobile Vehicle Co.
Place of Business: 9 Tremont Row, Boston
Member of Faith Lodge Cambridge and Signet
R. A. Chapter of Boston.

Recommended and vouched for by Sir
Horace A. Jordan and Sir Chas. L. Howell
Committee: Sir Joseph J. Bennett, Sir Edwin A.
Stone, Sir Herbert E. Ogden.

Comp. Harry Wood
Residence: 4 Mt. Auburn St. Cambridge

Occupation: Shoe Salesman.
 Place of Business: 111 Lincoln St. Boston.
 Member of: Mizpah Lodge Cambridge, and
 St. Andrews R.A. Chapter of Boston.
 Recommended and vouched for by: Geo.
 Wales Hanson Jr. and Sir Edw. C. Hatch.
 Committee: Sir William C. Hewes, Sir George E.
 Atwood, Sir Charles S. Parker.

Comp. Charles Blanchard Dunham
 Residence: 65 Surace Road, Medford.
 Occupation: Architect.
 Place of Business: 6 Beacon St. Boston.
 Member of: Mt. Hermon Lodge, and Mystic
 R.A. Chapter of Medford.
 Recommended and vouched for by: Sir
 Gilbert Hodges and Sir Herman L. Perkins.
 Committee: Sir Rowell B. Lawrence, Sir
 Parker R. Litchfield, Sir John R. Newman.

Comp. Fred Albert Gadden.
 Residence: 90 Warren St. West Medford.
 Occupation: Wholesale Grocery.
 Place of Business: 68 Essex St. Boston.
 Member of: Joseph Warren Lodge of Boston and
 Mystic R.A. of Medford.
 Recommended and vouched for by: Sir James B.
 S. and Sir J. Edmund M. and
 Committee: Sir James P. Richardson, Sir

James S. Rounds, Sir Henry Samuel

Comp. Fred Hayden.
 Residence: 4 Raymore St. Cambridge.
 Occupation: Master Painter and Paper-hanger.
 Place of Business: 33 Church St. Cambridge.
 A member of: Charity Lodge and Cam.
 bridge R.A. Chapter of Cambridge.
 Recommended and vouched for by: Sir Edw.
 E. Chick and Sir Enoch Beden.
 Committee: Sir William J. Rounds, Sir Leslie
 S. Rogers, Sir Martin M. Sands.

Comp. Wm. James Gaunt.
 Residence: 149 Spring St. Medford.
 Occupation: Cigar Manufacturer.
 Place of Business: 376 Atlantic Ave. Boston.
 A Member of: Mount Hermon Lodge and
 Mystic R.A. Chapter of Medford.
 Recommended and vouched for by: Sir
 Richard Gibson and Sir Gilbert Hodges.
 Committee: Sir Elmer A. Price, Sir Charles
 F. Proctor, Sir Joseph A. Rich.

Comp. Walter Folsom Jones.
 Residence: 210 Prospect St. Cambridge.
 Occupation: 60 India St. Boston.
 Place of Business: Salesman; Wholesale Dealer.
 A member of: Mizpah Lodge Cambridge.

and St Andrews R. A. Chapter of Boston
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir Edwin
 W. S. Jones and Sir Joshua T. Sykes
 Committee: Sir Oscar F. Allen, Sir Frank
 W. Richards, Sir Charles H. Thomas

Comp. Walter Sumner Kellie

Residence: 69 Tuttle St. South Hill

Occupation: Shoe Salesman

Place of Business: 10 High St. Boston

A member of Rabboni Lodge and St.

Andrews R. A. Chapter of Boston

Recommended and vouched for by Sir

Geo. W. Hanson, Jr. and Sir Edwin O. Hilditch

Committee: Sir Frank H. Pegg, Sir Ed-

win W. Cox, Sir C. S. Haley

Comp. Frank Allen North

Residence: 1100 Beacon St. Boston

Occupation: Attorney at Law

Place of Business: 89 State St. Boston

A member of St. John's Lodge and St. An-

drews R. A. Chapter of Boston

Recommended and vouched for by Sir

H. North and

Committee: Genl M. Abbott, Sir Walter R. Sykes

Sir Francis Doane

Comp. John Henry North Jr

Residence: 14 Hastings St. West Roxbury

Occupation: Merchant

Place of Business: 59 Bedford St. Boston

A member of St. John's Lodge and St. An-

drews R. A. Chapter of Boston

Recommended and vouched for by Sir John H.

North and Sir

Committee: George S. Foster, Sir Louis

Harlow, Sir John H. Keoughton

Comp. Perry Punham von Oker

Residence: 144 Hemenway St. Boston

Occupation: Paper Merchant

Place of Business: 180 Congress St. Boston

A member of Neve Lodge and St. Andrews R.

A. Chapter of Boston

Recommended and vouched for by Sir Thom-

as M. Carter and Sir William Marshall

Committee: Sir Arthur D. Jones, Sir

Lewis T. Keown, Sir Edwin C. Lewis

Comp. Reed Orr Ournard

Residence: 56 Warren St. West Medford

Occupation: Commercial Agency

Place of Business: 1011-13 Embury Building, Boston

A member of Mount Vernon Lodge and

Mystic R. A. Chapter of Medford

Recommended and vouched for by Sir Gil-

bert Hodges and Sir J. Edmund Korte

Committee: Sir Edward F. Kent, Sir Charles
T. Kelley, Sir Willard D. Lombard

Comp: Frank C. Swan

Residence: 96 Belmont St. Somerville

Occupation: Vice Pres. John H. North

Place of Business: 59 Bedford St. Boston

A member of Solby Lodge, and Somerville

P.A. Chapter, of Somerville

Recommended and vouched for by Sir John
H. North and

Committee: Sir Charles E. Main, Sir Charles
H. Mansfield, Sir John H. Mass

Comp: Alonzo Ernest Young

Residence: 8 Waterbury St., Dorchester

Occupation: Lawyer

Place of Business: 18 Tremont St. Boston

A member of Columbian Lodge and St.

Paul's P.A. Chapter of Boston

Recommended and vouched for by Sir

Walter H. Smith, and Sir Edw. H. Kavanaugh

Committee: Sir Albert A. Gleason, Sir Wm.

A. Moffett, Sir Frank J. Howell

- 6 General Orders, No. 5. of the Series
1905-1906, containing the sentiment that
had been prepared by the Committee
on Christmas observance of the Grand

Encampment of the United States of America
was read, as directed by the R. E. Grand
Commander, the same having been pub-
lished with the notice of the Conclave

- 1) a letter, expressive of the thanks of the Grand
Royal Arch Chapter of Massachusetts for
courtesies extended while that body was
entertaining the General Grand Chapter,
U. S. A., in June last, was read
and placed on file.
- 8 Sir Geo. C. W. Fuller made a request
in paper form for a permit from the Com-
mandery, which was granted.
- 9 The committee appointed to provide a se-
ries of winter entertainments requested,
and were granted, further time in
which to report.
- 10 The Eminent Commander announced
that the Annual Inspection would probably
occur at the next March Conclave
- 11 Acknowledgements of floral tributes were
received from the families of Sir Knights
Thomas C. Ashby, Fred O. Vegreanu
and Otis H. Marion

- 12 The following deaths were announced and memorial pages were ordered to be inscribed to the memory of each Sir Knight:

Sir Fred O. Veglahn,	Nov. 23, 1906
Sir Thomas L. Burr	Nov. 24, 1906
Sir Otis H. Wapion,	Nov. 27, 1906
Sir William F. Abbott	Dec. 7, 1906
Sir Frank Edward Smith	Dec. 12, 1906

- 13 On motion it was voted, that a committee of three be appointed to prepare and present an amendment, or amendments, to the By-Laws of the Commandery, creating a Charity Fund, whereby the Commandery may be empowered to receive and hold bequests for charity purposes independent of all other funds of the Commandery.

Subsequently,

Em. Sir William D. Lawrence,

Em. Sir James M. Gleason,

Sir Joseph S. Bennett

were appointed a committee, under the foregoing vote.

- 14 The Order of the Temple was then con-

firmed in Due Form and the following named Companions of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross were dubbed and created Knights of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, Knights Templar:

Comp. George Lamont Hunter,
Comp. Paul Washburn,
Comp. Frederick Strong Kingsley,
Comp. John H. Leaville,
Comp. Robert Wayne Lemont,
Comp. Robert Edward Turner,
Comp. Eliton Henry Wheeler,
Comp. Harry Sloan Amuden,
Comp. Louis Frederick Hawley,
Comp. Milton Everett Murray,
Comp. Robert Angus Pottier,
Comp. Willis Harrison Leary,
Comp. William James Smith.

- 15 The Order of Malta was then confirmed in Short Form and the above named Sir Knights were dubbed and created Knights of Malta, after which they each became members of the Commandery by signing its By-Laws, receiving a copy of the same and a diploma.

- 16 No further Business appearing, the

Commandery was closed in due form
at
The lines were formed and the Sir
Knights marched to the Gauguet Room
where a substantial had been pre-
pared for them.

Following the Gauguet an exhibition
of views, on a screen, was given
that interested and entertained the
Sir Knights for an hour

a true record

(attest)

J. Gilman Maite
Recorder

Sir Knights in uniform
Visitors 43

11 The funeral of Sir Warren Hill Loolittle,
was held in the Universalist Church, Vir-
ginia Street, Dorchester, on Friday De-
cember 21, at one o'clock P.M.

The Commandery was represented at
the service by a committee, consisting of

Sir William H. Robie

Sir William O. Rand

Sir Harry S. Howe

Sir Edward P. Upham

Sir Harry E. Wright

Sir Hubert W. Adams

18 The funeral of Sir Samuel Ide for,
was held at his late residence, 11 Mount-
fort Street Boston, on Sunday, December 30
at one o'clock P.M. The services were
under the auspices of Massachusetts
Consistory, S. P. R. S.

The Commandery was represented at the
service by a committee, consisting of

Em Sir Eugene A. Holton, Hon. C. Debrauer

Sir Joseph T. Dyer

Sir James D. Roush

Sir Augustus Ridgeway

Sir Richard Hapgood

Sir Henry Samuel

as well as many other members of the
Commandery, who, by their presence

testified to their love of the deceased.

- 14 The funeral of Sir Henry Harold Cotton was held in Cowansville P^r. Quebec, Canada, on Monday December 31st at two o'clock P.M. Information of death was received from Sir Knight George O. Short, of Sussex Receptory who stated, that Sir Knight Cotton would be buried with Masonic honors, "Knights Templars assisting."

The funeral of Sir Thomas F. Temple was held at his late residence, No. 22 Wood St. Dorchester on Saturday, January 5, 1907, at two o'clock P.M.

Sir Knight Temple's sudden death, at the end of a long and useful career, both in public and private life, was deeply mourned by the large circle of business friends and associates.

The service was attended by many of his friends within the Fraternity.

In Memoriam

Sir Frederick Otto Vegelsack

Born in Prussia, December 30, 1839.

Raised a Master Mason in Gate of the Temple
Lodge, South Boston, June 28, 1870

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Pauls
Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, February 4, 1883

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar
in Boston, Commandery of Knights Templars
June 18, 1884

Admitted to Membership
June 18, 1884

Died in Dorchester,
Mass.,
Friday, November 23,
1906

In Memoriam

Sir Thomas Leonard Berry

Born in Deering, Maine, September 11, 1813

Raised a Master Mason in Henry Price
Lodge, Charlestown, February 27, 1895

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Signet
Royal Arch Chapter, Charlestown, June 27, 1895

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston, Commandery of Knights Templars
July 19, 1895

Admitted to Membership,
July 19, 1895

Died at Sourenville,
Mass.
Saturday, November 24,
1906.

In Memoriam

Sir Otis Humphrey Marion.

Born in Burlington, Mass., January 12, 1841

Raised a Master Mason in Bethuda
Lodge, Brighton, Mass., November 11, 1874.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Paul
Royal Arch Chapter Boston, November 30, 1897

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar.
December 21, 1898

Admitted to Membership
December 21, 1898

Died at Allston,
Mass.
Tuesday, November 27,
1906.

In Memoriam

Sir William Francis Abbott

Born in Dorchester Mass., February 21, 1874

Raised a Master Mason in Union Lodge
Dorchester Mass., June 12, 1900

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Dorchester
Royal Arch Chapter, - Mass. January 28, 1901

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
June 18, 1902.

Admitted to Membership
June 18, 1902

Died at Philadelphia
Pennsylvania
Saturday, December 8,
1906

In Memoriam

Sir Frank Edward Smith

Born in Boston Mass, October 23, 1876

Raised a Master Mason in Star King
Lodge Salem, Mass., June 4, 1900

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Washing-
ton R. A. Chapter Salem, March 12, 1901.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
June 19, 1901

Admitted to Membership
June 19, 1901.

Died at Somerville
Mass
Wednesday December 12,
1906

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Asylum of Boston Commandery K.T.

Masonic Temple,

Boston, Wednesday,

January 16, 1907

Stated Conclave,

a commandery of Knights Templar was opened in due form at five o'clock P.M. with the following organization:

1	E. Sir Charles S. Jamrell	Commander
	Sir James S. Blake	Generalissimo
	Sir Jesse E. Ames	Captain General
	Sir Leonard W. Ross	Senior Warden
	Sir Frederick C. Graves	Junior Warden
	Sir Geo. George L. Perin, D.W.	President
	Sir Oscar F. Allen	Treasurer
	E. Sir J. Gilman Waite	Recorder
	Sir Edwin A. Stone	Standard Bearer
	Sir Francis H. Appleton	Warden
	Sir Joseph T. Paul	Captain of the Guard
	Sir George S. Foster	Guard
	Sir Fred H. M. Langhain	Guard
	Sir Edward J. Hatch	Guard
	Sir Edward P. Brock	Guard
	Sir Francis H. Appleton	Guard

Sir Ralph M. Smyth	Guard
Sir Charles M. Howard	Guard
Sir Horace A. Jordan	Guard
Sir George M. Bauer	Guard

E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield	Chief of Staff
	Surgeon
	Asst. Surgeon
	Asst. Surgeon

Sir Richard Hapgood	Commissary
Sir Reginald M. Langhain	Quartermaster
Sir George L. H. Stevenson	Beaumont Bearer
Sir David A. McDonald	Nat. (Ch. Bearer)
Sir J. Frederick Sampson	Armorer
Sir Edward F. Jacobs	Scutcheon
Sir Thomas M. Carter	Musical Director
Sir John C. ...	Organist
	Aide to E. Commander
	Pand Guide

Sir Edgar F. Hunt, Standard Bearer

2 Past Eminent Commanders present

E. Sir Frederick T. Comer
E. Sir James M. Gleason
E. Sir Eugene A. Holton
E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield
E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield
E. Sir J. Gilman Waite

E. Sir Rinaldo B. Richardson
 E. Sir Richard A. Alwood

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Record

The record of the last Stated Conclave was read and declared approved

4 Report of committees on the petitions of

Comp. Frank Munroe Noonan.
 Comp. Clifford Merton Brown
 Comp. Silas Hudson Simeon
 Comp. Harry Wood Dodge
 Comp. Charles Blanchard Wauham
 Comp. Fred. Albert Glidden
 Comp. Walter Folsom Jones
 Comp. Walter Sumner Keller
 Comp. Frank Allen North
 Comp. John H. North
 Comp. Em. Runkel von Ocker
 Comp. Reed Orr Ormand
 Comp. Frank Clifton Swan
 Comp. Alonzo Ernest Yout

were received and ballots taken which, in each case, proved to be clear, and they were severally declared to be elected to receive the Obeds of Knighthood conferred in Boston

Commandery, N.Y.

5 Reports were received on the petition of Comp. Harry Julian Cesarick

but, upon ballot being taken his petition was declared to be rejected

6 The following application for re-instatement was read from:

Sir George W. Locke,
 Residence: Ramford Falls, Maine
 Occupation: Cigar Dealer
 Place of Business: Ramford Falls, Me.
 Member of St. John's Lodge; St. Paul's Chapter; Initiated from Boston Commandery
 Commended Sir Leonard W. Ross, Sir Fred. Wick C. Graves, Sir Francis C. Appleton

Application for Membership was read from

Sir William Edwin Patenaude
 Residence: Dedham Mass.
 Occupation: Merchant
 Place of Business: Dedham, High St.
 Member of Connelleyton; Norfolk Chapter
 Initiated from Cyprus Commandery

Committee: Sir Augustus P. Endicott, Sir Fred. E. Smith, and Sir Andrew S. Wentworth

1 Acknowledgements of floral tributes to the families of Sir Knight Frank E. Smith and Thomas F. Temple were announced.

5 The business of the Commandery was then suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened for the reception of candidates.

Companions
George Duthie Steachan,
Harry Webster Brown
Thomas Mason
Frank Munroe Tooman,
Clifford Weston Brown,
Silas Hudson Duncanson,
Harry Wood Tappan,
Charles Blanchard Dunham,
Fred Albert Gliddon,
Walter Folsom Jones,
Walter Sumner Ketchum,
Frank Allen North,
John Henry North, Jr.,
Perry Dunham von Olmsted,
Herb Orr Ormrod,
Frank Clefton Smith.

and Alonzo Ernest Yout were created and constituted Companions of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross in due form and with full ceremony.

9 The purposes for which the Council had been opened being accomplished, it was closed and the business of the Commandery resumed at eight o'clock and fifty-five minutes.

10 During the transaction of the business of the Conclave, the E. Commandery announced the following deaths and ordered that a page of the Records be set apart to their memory:

Sir Warren Hill Doolittle,	December 18
Sir Henry Harold Cotton	December 21
Sir Samuel Ide Coy	December 21
Sir Thomas F. Temple	January 2

11 No further business appearing the Commandery was closed in due form at nine o'clock and fifteen minutes. The lines were formed and the Sir Knight repaired to the Banquet Hall. All true records.

Attest: J. Simon Waite
Recorder

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In Memoriam

Sr. Warren Hill Doolittle

Born in Boston, Mass. November 12, 1857

Raised a Master Mason in Union Lodge, Dorchester, Mass, June 12, 1894

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Dorchester Royal Arch Chapter, February 25, 1895

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, a Knight Templar in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar June 19, 1895.

Admitted to Membership June 19, 1895

Died in Dorchester.

Mass.
Tuesday, December 18,
1896.

In Memoriam

Sir Samuel Ide Coy.

Born in Cambridge Mass. March 4, 1843

Raised a Master Mason in St. John's
Lodge Boston, Mass., March 2, 1868

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrew's
Royal Arch Chapter, December 17, 1869

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
December 20, 1891

Admitted to Membership
January 11, 1872

Died in Boston
Mass
Wednesday, December 26
1906

In Memoriam

Sir Henry Harold Cotton

Born in

Raised a Master Mason in Provost, No. 2, Lodge
Province of Quebec Canada, Jan 31, 1881

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Cambridge
P. A. Chapter Cambridge Mass, June 9, 1876

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
June 21, 1882.

Admitted to Membership
June 21, 1882.

Died at Cowansville,
Quebec, Canada
Friday, December 28,
1906.

a Life Member

In Memoriam

Sir Thomas French Temple

Born in Canton, Mass., May 25, 1838

Raised a Master Mason in Union
Lodge, Dorchester, Mass., February 1864

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrews
Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, 1864

Subbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
April 13, 1866

Admitted to Membership,
May 16, 1866.

Died at Weymouth, Mass.,
Wednesday, January 2, 1907.

a Life Member

The funeral of Sir Frederick C. Sav-
age was held at his late residence,
96 College Avenue, (formerly numbered
362 Elm St.) West Somerville, on Fri-
day, February 8, at two o'clock
P.M.

The Commandery was represented by

E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield,
Sir William R. Holmes
Sir Allan C. Prescott
Sir Wilbur E. Harrison

The funeral of Sir Caleb Shaw
Wigley was held in St. Mary's
Episcopal Church, Uphams Corner,
Dorchester, at two o'clock, on Thurs-
day, February 14.

The Commandery was represented by

E. Sir J. Gilman Waite
Sir David A. McDonald
Sir J. Frederick Sampson
Sir Robert G. Tobey
Sir Allan C. Prescott
Sir Wilbur E. Harrison

Asylum of Boston Commandery K. T.

Masonic Temple,
Boston Wednesday,
February 20 1901.

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened, in due form, at five o'clock P.M. with the following organization:

- | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| E. Sir Charles S. Samrell | Commander |
| Sir James S. Blake | Senior Warden |
| Sir E. A. ... | Captain General |
| Sir Leonard W. Ross | Junior Warden |
| Sir Frederick Graves | Junior Warden |
| Sir Rev. George L. Devin, D.D. | Precentor |
| Sir Walter B. ... | Associate Precentor |
| Sir Oscar F. Allen | Treasurer |
| E. Sir J. Gilman ... | Recorder |
| Sir Edwin ... | Standard Bearer |
| Sir Edgar F. Hunt | Sword Bearer |
| Sir Francis ... | Wardens |
| Sir Joseph ... | Capt. of the Guard |
| Sir George ... | Guard |
| Sir Fred ... | |
| Sir Edward ... | |

- | | |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| Sir Edward ... | Guard |
| Sir Ralph M. Smyth | " |
| Sir Charles W. Howard | " |
| Sir Horace W. Jordan | " |
| Sir Geo. W. ... | " |
| E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield | Adjutant |
| | Chief of Staff |
| | Surgeon |
| | Art. |
| Sir Richard ... | Commissary |
| | Quartermaster |
| Sir George L. H. ... | Organist |
| Sir David A. M. Donald | National Color Bearer |
| Sir J. Frederick Sampson | Drum |
| Sir Edward F. Jacobs | Sentinel |
| Sir Thomas M. Carter | Musical Director |
| Sir E. ... | Organist |
| | Order of ... |
| | Band Guide |

- Past Eminent Commanders present
- E. Sir James M. ...
 - E. Sir Charles ...
 - E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield
 - E. Sir J. Gilman ...
 - E. Sir Richard ...

3.

Records.

The record of the last Stated Conference was read and declared approved.

4.

Ballot.

The following communication was read: - Copy -

Headquarters.

Cambridge Commandery K.T. No. 42.

January 5, 1907.

Emt. Sir J. Gilman Waite.

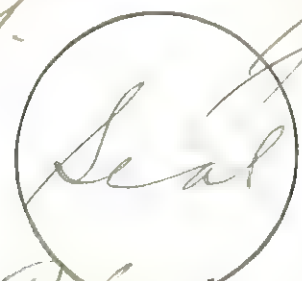
Recorder of Boston Commandery K.T.

Dear Sir:

At the Stated Conference of Cambridge Commandery, K.T. No. 42, held Jan. 4, 1907, the request of jurisdiction over Companion Fred. Hayden of Cambridge, Mass. was granted to Boston Commandery K.T. Yours respectfully,

Charles M. Pease

Recorder



Reports of the Committee on the petition of Comp. Fred. Hayden were read and a ballot taken which proved to be clear and he was declared to be elected to receive the Obeds conferred in Boston Commandery K.T.

dem. K.T.

Communication

- Copy -

Corn. Le Lion Commandery, No. 24.

Knights Templar

Colon. Charlestown Dist. Jan. 16, 1907

Gilman Waite Esq.

Recorder, Boston Commandery, K.T.

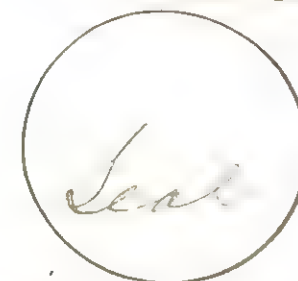
Dear Sir & Brother:

This is to certify that at the regular convocation of Corn. de Lion Commandery, held Jan. 15th, the request of Boston Commandery for release of jurisdiction over Companion William James Hunt of Medford, Mass. was granted.

Courteously & Graciously,

W. L. Barber

Recorder



Reports of the Committee on the petition of Comp. William James Hunt were read and a ballot taken which proved to be clear and he was declared to be elected to receive the Obeds conferred in Boston Commandery K.T.

Reports of the committee on the application of Sir George W. Loring for membership in Boston Commandery were read, a ballot taken, that proved to be not in favor, and his application was declared to be rejected.

- 5 Reports of the committee on the application of Sir William Edwin Potemau de for membership in Boston Commandery were read and a ballot taken. That proved to be clear and he was declared to be elected to membership in Boston Commandery, K. T.

- 6 The following communication was received. Copy -

Hugh de Payrus Commandery
No. 20

Knight of Tancred
Melrose Mass.

December 24, 1881

To the Eminent Commander
and Sir Knights of Boston Commandery No. 2
Boston, Mass.,

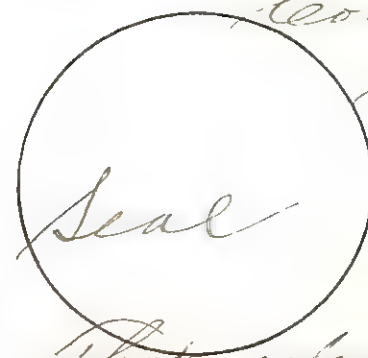
Greeting.

Sir,

maunder, No. 20, K. T., Melrose Mass., courteous request of Boston Commandery, a writ of jurisdiction over Companion John Dexter Nichols, residence 88 Glen St. East Somerville, Mass., to receive the Order of Knighthood in Hugh de Payrus Commandery.

Courteously & Fraternally

Calvin W. Sawyer
Recorder



On motion it was voted:
That release of jurisdiction over Companion John Dexter Nichols of Somerville, Mass., be granted to Hugh de Payrus Commandery of Melrose, Mass.

- 7 Petitions for the Order of Knighthood were received from.

Comps J. Jay Rogers Penton
Residence: 15 Oakley Road; Belmont
Occupation: Student
Place of Business: Harvard College
Member of Boston Lodge No. 87, Guildhall St. and St. Andrew's P. O. Chapter Boston
Recommended, and vouched for by Sir Edward O. Hatch, and Sir James S. Blake

Committee: E. Sir Eugene A. Holtan, Sir
James S. Blake, Sir Jesse E. Ames

Comp. William Henry

Residence: Boston

Occupation: Shoe Manufacturer

Place of Business: 183 Essex St. Boston

Member of Mayflower Lodge, Middleboro'

Mass., and Harmony R. A. Chapter, Middleboro'

Recommended and vouched for by Sir George

Walter Emerson, and Sir Ernest Loring

Committee: Sir Henry P. Sprague, Sir Wal-

ter H. Stephenson, Sir Frederick L. Walker

Companion Albert Wilson

Residence: 131 Evans St. Worcester

Occupation: Manager: Geo. W. Ellis

Place of Business: 272 Congress St. Boston

Member of Joseph Warren Lodge and Wor-

chester R. A. Chapter of Boston

Recommended and vouched for by Sir

David T. Keever, and Sir Francis H. Coffin

Committee: Sir Samuel F. Hubbard, Sir

Geo. H. M. Gates, Sir Edwin H. Beane

Comp. Frank Eugene Washington

Residence: Taunton, Mass.

Occupation: Dealer of High Grade Investments

Place of Business: 60 State St. Boston

a member of King David Lodge and St
Marks R. A. Chapter of Taunton, Mass.

Recommended and vouched for by Sir John

W. Eldridge, and Sir Henry A. Dickerson

Committee: Sir Geo. M. Byrne, Sir Herman L. Burr

Sir William M. Dean

Comp. Charles H. Parker Jr.

Residence: 9 Sewall Ave. Brookline, Mass.

Occupation: General Manager: Janow, Mann, Co.

Place of Business: 30 Kilby St. Boston

Member of Mt. Lebanon Lodge and St. An-

drews R. A. Chapter of Boston

Recommended and vouched for by Sir

Charles H. Parker, and Sir Walter H. Royden

Committee: Sir Clarence W. Rowley,

Sir Geo. S. Selfridge, Sir Geo. Smallwood

Comp. Herman Marshall Rich

Residence: 88 W. Leflow St. Worcester

Occupation: Confectioner's Supplies

Place of Business: 52 Chatham St. Boston

Member of Lafayette Lodge of Roxbury, and

Mt. Vernon R. A. Chapter of Roxbury

Recommended and vouched for by Sir

Harry D. Adams and Sir Frank W. Wood

Committee: Sir Frederick S. Ramsey, Sir

Sir Wm. O. Rand, Sir Wm. F. Roberts

Comps. George Loring Swett
 Residence: 8 Crawford St. Roxbury
 Occupation: Salesman
 Place of Business: Wallingford, Ct.
 Member of St. John's Lodge and Mt.
 Vernon R. A. Chapter of Boston
 Recommended and vouched for by
 Edward E. Hardy and Sir George E. Howe.
 Committee: Sir Harry G. Howe, Sir James
 & Mc. Lellan, Sir Charles F. Morill

Comps. Albert Franklin Walker
 Residence: 148 Winthrop St. Winthrop
 Occupation: Sales Agt. Am. Steel & Iron Co.
 Place of Business: 125 Milk St. Boston
 Member of Winthrop Lodge and Winthrop
 R. A. Chapter Winthrop, Mass.
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir
 Orville E. Johnson, and Sir Edward O. Howe.
 Committee: Sir Will A. Muntzfeldt, Sir
 Edward H. Phillips, Sir Robert L. Pond

Comps. Fred (Theodore) Yraton
 Residence: 19 Royal St. Allston, Mass.
 Occupation: Store Salesman
 Place of Business: 78 Lincoln St. Boston
 Member of Lagoon Lodge and Peabody
 R. A. Chapter of Harvard St. Boston
 Recommended and vouched for by

Sir George Hales Manson Jr and Sir Jacob
 Ralph Baker.
 Committee: Sir Cyrus F. Cushing, Sir Henry
 P. Emerson, Sir Charles H. Harrison

§ The following communication was read:
 Comps. -

Sussex Preceptory No. 9, N. D.
 Under the
 Sovereign Great Priory of Canada
 of the United Religious and Military Order
 of the Temple and of St. John of Jerusalem,
 Palestine, Rhodes and Malta.
 Sherbrooke, January 25, 1907.

The Recorder
 Boston Commandery, Knights Templars
 Boston, Mass.

My dear Sir Knight:

I am directed by the Grand Preceptor
 to advise you that, on the occasion of the
 funeral of the late Frater H. B. Cotton,
 who was I believe, a member of your
 Commandery, and who was buried
 with Masonic honors at Cowans-
 ville, P. Q., on December 31, last; several
 of our friends and acquaint-
 ances of the deceased, wishing to
 show their respect to his
 memory; and acting under the in-

dispensation, attended in the uniform of the Order and formed an escort.

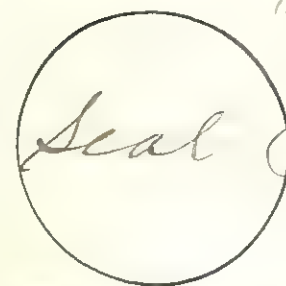
I am,

My dear Sir Knight

Yours Comdly

Wm H. Baber

Regent



On motion, it was voted, that the communication be spread upon the Records, and that suitable acknowledgement, in the name of the Commandery be made by the Records to Miss Preceptors to a Sherbrooke, P.Q., Canada for this act of knightly courtesy shown at the funeral of our deceased Sir Knight, Henry H. Cobden.

9 The Records announced the receipt of an acknowledgement of the funeral of Sir Frederick C. Savage.

10 The Eminent Commander announced the following deaths:
Sir Frederick C. Savage February 10, 1907.
Sir Caleb Marion Spalding February 11, 1907.
and ordered that a page of the Records be subscribed to the Memoirs of each.

11 The Eminent Commander alluded to the death of Sir Thomas F. Temple and the vacancy created thereby in the Trustees of the Permanent Fund of Boston Commandery and appointed the following committee to nominate a candidate to be balloted on at the next, March, convention to fill said vacancy.

Sir John H. North
Sir Edwin Smyth
Sir Thomas J. Emery
Committee
Amendments.

The following amendments to the By-Laws were presented:

Copies

Sir Boston Commandery, N.Y.

February 20, 1907.

To the Eminent Commander and members of Boston Commandery:

The committee of three appointed pursuant to the vote of the Commandery of December 22, 1906, to prepare and present an amendment, or amendments, to the By-Laws of the Commandery creating a Charity Fund upon the Commandery may be authorized.

to receive and hold bequests for charity purposes, independent of all other funds of the Commandery," respect-fully offers the following amendments to the By-Laws of the Commandery, for that purpose.

Article VII (A)

Charity Fund

Section 1. The Charity Fund established by Boston Commandery, shall be styled "The Charity Fund of Boston Commandery of Knights Templars." The fund shall consist of such bequests, donations, subscriptions and other additions as shall from time to time be made to it by any person, or by vote of the Commandery. The principal of the fund shall never be expended.

Trustees of the Charity Fund—

Section 2. The Charity Fund of Boston Commandery shall be held in the name of the Eminent Commander and Members of Boston Commandery, but shall be under the direction and control of a Board of Trustees, consisting of the Eminent Commander, who

shall be the President of the Board, the Treasurer, and three members of the Commandery who hold no other office in the Commandery than that of Trustee of the Permanent Fund. The Trustees shall be chosen by ballot at the next regular conclave after this By-Law has been approved by the Grand Commandery; one member of the Board to serve until the Annual Conclave in 1907, one to serve until the Annual Conclave in 1908, and one to serve until the Annual Conclave in 1909. At each Annual Conclave the Commandery shall elect one member of the Board for the term of three years. Each Trustee, however, shall hold his office until his successor is elected. The Board thus constituted shall be styled "The Trustees of the Charity Fund of Boston Commandery of Knights Templars."

Vacancies.

Section 3. Should a vacancy occur in the Board of Trustees of the Charity Fund, by reason of death or otherwise, it shall be filled by an election by ballot at the next succeeding regular Conclave, or at

soon thereafter as may be practicable, due notice of the election being borne on the notifications.

Duties of the Trustees

Section 4. The Board of Trustees shall carefully and judiciously invest the Charity Fund in such Savings-Banks and securities of permanent value as in their best judgment will be safest and most productive, preferably in securities in which Savings-Banks in this Commonwealth are authorized by law to invest, and shall select a suitable place of deposit for the securities and vouchers, where their absolute safety from fire and theft will be insured.

The Board of Trustees shall keep a full and accurate record of the investments of the Charity Fund, and at each Annual Conclave they shall submit to the Commandery a correct statement of the fund in detail, exhibiting its exact nature and condition.

The Trustees may in their discretion, or by vote of the Com-

mandery, appropriate any of the matured income of the Charity Fund to charitable purposes; but all the income received and unappropriated at the end of the year shall be added to the principal of the fund and shall thereafter constitute a permanent part thereof.

Your Committee also respectfully reports that Article VII of the By-Laws be amended, as provided in Article XV, as follows:

Amend Article VII, Section 2, by inserting after the word "Commandery" in the fifth line the words "which are not otherwise definitely limited."

Courteously Submitted,
(Signed) William D. Lawrence
James M. Gleason
Joseph S. Bennett
Committee

On motion Voted, that the report of the committee be accepted, entered upon the Records, and submitted to the Commandery for adoption in accordance with Article XV of the By-Laws.

- 13 The Order of the Temple was then conferred in due form and with full ceremony and the following named Companions were dubbed and created Knights of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, Knights Templars:

Comp. George Luther Stachan,
 Comp. Harry Webster Brown,
 Comp. Thomas Mason,
 Comp. Frank Munroe Korman,
 Comp. Clifford Nelson Brown,
 Comp. Silas Hudson Prince,
 Comp. Harry Wood Doe,
 Comp. Charles Blanchard Durham,
 Comp. Fred Albert Madden,
 Comp. Walter Folsom Jones,
 Comp. Walter Sumner Kelly,
 Comp. Frank Allen North,
 Comp. John Henry Torle, Jr.
 Comp. Perry Dunham von Olken,
 Comp. Roden Arnold,
 Comp. Frank Clifton Swan,
 Comp. Alonzo Ernest Hunt.

- 14 The Order of Malta was then conferred in short form and the above named Sir Knights were dubbed and created.

Knights of Malta after which they signed the By-Laws and became members of Boston Commandery, receiving a copy of the By-Laws and a diploma.

- 15 No further business appearing, the Commandery was closed in due form at ten-forty-five o'clock.

16 Sir Knights in uniform 43
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- 17 The Recorder was assisted in the work of the Conclave by Em. Sir Henry H. Litchfield

A true record

Attest: Silman Waite
 Recorder

In Memoriam

Sir Frederick C. Savage

Born in East Boston, Mass. January 17, 1860

Raised a Master Mason Galbreth Lodge
East Boston, Mass. March 7, 1883

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Paul's
Royal Arch Chapter Boston, Mass. February 29 '83

Subbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templar
May 16, 1883.

Admitted to Membership
May 16, 1883.

Died in Somerville, Mass.
Tuesday, February 5,
1901.

a Life Member.

In Memoriam

Sir Capt. Sharon Haley.

Born in

Raised a Master Mason in

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in

Created and Subbed a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar
in

Admitted to Membership
January 15, 1902

Died in Roxbury, Mass.
Sunday, February 10
1901

20 The funeral of Sir Frank Harold Cross was held at his late residence, No 14, Staples road, Brookline, on Wednesday, March 6, 1907, at three o'clock, P.M.

A committee, consisting of
 Sir James S. Clark, Generalissimo.
 Sir Henry Samuel.
 Sir William Craig
 Sir Walter L. Howe.
 Sir Charles E. Johnson
 was appointed to represent the Com-
 mandery at the service.

21 The funeral of Sir James Allen M.
 L. was held in the Eliot Con-
 gregational Church, Newton, Mass.
 on Monday, March 18, 1907. at
 one thirty o'clock, P.M.

The Commandery
 was represented by
 E. Sir J. Simon Waite
 Sir Herbert M. Jackson.

22 Olympe of Boston Commandery K. T.
 Boston, Sunday, March 10, 1907.

Special Condole.

A Commandery of Knights Templar was
 opened in the Armory at one o'clock
 P.M. with the following organization:

E. Sir Charles L. Samuel,	Commander
Sir Edgar F. Hunt,	as Generalissimo
Sir John E. Ames,	Captain General
_____	Senior Warden
Sir Frederick C. Graves,	Junior Warden
_____	Prelate
Sir Oscar F. Allen	Treasurer
Em. Sir Simon Waite	Recorder
_____	Guard
Sir Joseph T. Paul,	"
Sir Robert E. Turner,	"
Sir Ralph M. Smyth,	"
Sir Geo. W. Baker,	"
Sir Walter L. Douglas,	"
Sir Edward R. Brock	"
Sir J. Frederick Imeson	Armour

Sir Walter W. Oyster, Sir Richard Hapgood
 Sir Hezekiah M. Laughlin, Sir Charles L. Russell

Sir S. Dexter Bowker, Sir Thomas McCarter
 Sir Henry James, Sir Albert Anderson,
 Sir Charles J. Wright, Sir W. Wallace Fox,
 Sir Wm H. Hocker, Sir Bartholomew M. Gorman,
 Sir Chas E. Gamble, Sir John T. ...
 Sir Geo L. H. Stevenson, Sir August J. Hunt,
 Sir Oscar H. Chase, Sir Wm W. Gaultlet,
 Sir Levi L. Rowe, Sir Mar H. Beine,
 Sir Walter Hobbs, Sir Albert J. Seales,
 Sir John Holmstrom, Sir Arthur F. Lee,
 Sir James Miller, Sir
 In uniform:
 Sir Wm H. Guild, Sir Albert A. Tolson,
 Sir John McGaw.

The Eminent Commander stated
 that the Special Conclave had been called
 for the purpose of attending the funeral
 of our late Sir Elijah O. Mine, at the
 First M. E. Church on Temple St.

At our 10 o'clock and five minutes
 the lines were formed and a special
 car taken for the church, where,
 after an eloquent eulogy upon
 the life and character of the de-
 ceased, the Templar Burial Ser-
 vice was rendered by the offi-

cer of Boston Commandery, K.T.

The funeral was attended by a large
 number of friends and members of civic
 organizations to which the deceased
 had belonged.

At the close of the service, the remains
 were escorted a short distance, when
 the Commandery was formed in line,
 the Sir Knights standing at present
 as the procession passed on its
 way to Woodlawn Cemetery.

The Sir Knights then returned to
 the Asylum, by car, when the Com-
 mandery was closed and they were
 dismissed, at four o'clock P.M.

A true record

Attest: J. Silman Waite
Recorder

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City Council of Boston Commanders, K. T.

Masonic Temple

Boston, Wednesday,

March 20, 1907.

Stated Conclave

The Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in due form, in Ionic Hall, at ten o'clock P. M., with the following organization:

E. Sir Charles S. Samuell,	Commander
Sir Janus S. Blake,	Generalissimo
Sir Jesse E. Ames,	Captain General
Sir Leonard H. Rose,	Senior Warden
Sir Frederick C. Savage,	Junior Warden
Sir Rev. Geo. L. Perini, D. D.,	Prillate
Sir Walter D. Tripp,	Associate Prillate
Sir Oscar A. Allen,	Treasurer
E. Sir J. Silman Waite,	Recorder
Sir Edmund A. Stone,	Standard Bearer
Sir Edgar F. Hunt,	Sword Bearer
Sir Augustus Ridgeway,	Warden
Sir Joseph P. D. D.,	Captain of the Guard
Sir George J. D. D.,	Guard
Sir Fred. W. McLaughlin,	"
Sir Edward Q. Hatch,	"
Sir Edward R. Brock,	"

Sir Francis H. Appleton, Sec. ad
 Sir Ralph M. Smith, "
 Sir Charles M. Howard, "
 Sir Horace A. Johnson, "
 Sir George M. Bauer, "
 E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield, Chief of Staff
 Assistant Surgeon
 Assistant

Sir Richard Hapgood, Treasurer
 Sir Ezekiel M. Gauchier, Quartermaster
 Sir George L. H. Thompson, Assistant Sec. ad
 Sir David A. M. Howard, National Sec. ad
 Sir J. Frederick Jackson, Organist
 Sir Edward F. Jacobs, Sec. ad
 Sir Thomas W. Cautin, Musical Director
 Sir Eben H. Bailey, Organist
 Sir Milton L. Miller, Orderly & E. Commander
 Band Leader

2 Past Eminent Commanders present.
 E. Sir Frederick D. Comtee
 E. Sir James M. Gleason
 E. Sir Eugene A. Zoltow
 E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield
 E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield
 E. Sir William P. Lawrence
 E. Sir J. German Marshall

E. Sir Rinaldo O. Richardson,
 E. Sir Richard A. Atwood,

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Records.
 The records of the last Stated Conclave and
 the Special Conclave March 10, 1907, were
 read and declared approved.

Reports of the committees appointed
 on the petitions of
 Comp. Jay Roger Denton
 Comp. William Henry Dean
 Comp. Albert Wilson Finlay
 Comp. Frank Eugene Washington Howes
 Comp. Charles Wentworth Jackson Jr.
 Comp. Herman Marshall Rich
 Comp. George Lovjoy Swett
 Comp. Albert Franklin Walker
 Comp. Fred. Alton Yraton

were read and ballot taken which in
 each case proved to be clear and they
 were each declared to be elected to
 receive the Orders of Knighthood con-
 firmed in Boston Commandery, P. T.

Previous to balloting on the pe-
 tition of Comp. Frank Eugene
 Washington Howes of Savannah, Ga.
 now, the following, release of ju-
 risdiction was read:-

5 Soldiers of the Temple
 Saint John's Commandery Number One
 Providence, R.I., March 4, 1907.
 J. Gilman Waite,
 Recorder Boston Commandery, R.I.,
 Boston, Mass.
 Dear Sir and Brethren:

The courteous communication of
 February 28th, 1907, of Boston Com-
 mandery to release jurisdiction over
 Frank Eugene M. How, residing
 in Taunton, Mass., and doing
 business on State St., Boston, Mass.,
 is received.

The Eminent Commander of St.
 John's Commandery directs me to in-
 form you that by vote of the Com-
 mandery the request is granted,
 and jurisdiction is waived in favor
 of Boston Commandery, R.I. your said
 Companion How.

Assuring you of our kindest regards,

Respectfully Yours,
 Franklin Smith, Jr.,
 Recorder.

Seal

6 Sir Joseph G. Morra presented a re-
 quest for a limit, the same being in
 conformity to Sect. 3, of Article VII of the
 Dir. Laws, it was ordered, that a cer-
 tificate of limit be issued to him.

The following deaths were announced
 and a page of the Records ordered
 to be set apart to the memory of
 each Sir Knight:-

Sir Frank Waldo Ames,	March 2, 1907
Sir Elijah S.	March 6, 1907
Sir James Miller, M.D.	March 15, 1907

The following was received:-
 — Copy —

8 Grand Commandery
 of Knights Templar
 and the
 Appendant Orders

of
 Massachusetts and Rhode Island
 General Orders

Series 1906-1907, Office of the R.E. Grand Commander
 No. 7, 104 Cotton St., Boston, Mass.
 Boston Feb. 27, 1907.

To the Eminent Commander, Officers and
 Sir Knights in the jurisdiction of

Massachusetts and Rhode Island:-
 Recognizing the desire on the part
 of many of the Commanderies to attend
 Divine Service on Easter Sunday, and
 conforming to the practice of the Grand
 Commandery in recent years,

I, by virtue of the power and
 authority in me vested as Grand
 Commander of the Grand Command-
 ery of Knights Templars of Massachu-
 setts and Rhode Island, do hereby
 grant this my dispensation to the
 Commanderies throughout the juris-
 diction, to parade on Easter Sunday,
 March 31, 1901, in full Templar
 Uniform, without banners and music,
 for the purpose of attending Divine
 Service.

It is eminently appropriate for
 the Sir Knights to manifest their re-
 spect for, and devotion to, the Christ-
 ian Religion, on all occasions,
 but especially so on the great festival days
 of the Church, which are designed to
 impress upon the minds of all, the
 great events in the life of Him, whom
 we look for the great Captain of our
 Salvation.

May all the Sir Knights

throughout the jurisdiction, whether
 or not assembled in Church, bear
 in mind the inspiring Easter lesson,
 namely, that Immortality is an Essen-
 tial Truth in Christianity.

May all seek those things that
 are above, confident of the reward
 that awaits the Templar true to his
 profession and consistent in his life.

Due and proper return will be
 made to me of any action had under
 this authority, within thirty days
 of its acceptance, and this dispen-
 sation filed in the archives of the
 Commandery and spread in full
 upon its records.

Given under my hand and the seal
 of the Grand Commandery, this 27th day
 of February, A. D. 1901, A. O. 180.

Kouleousky and Fraternally

E. Bentley Young
 Grand Commander



Attest.
 E. H. Howell
 Grand Recorder

The following petitions for the Obedience were read: -

Comp. Arthur Carter Ashlon.
Residence: 33 Columbus Ave. Somerville.
Occupation: Secy. & Treas. Ashlon Valve Co.
Place of Business: 271 Franklin St Boston.
Member of John Abbot Lodge and Somerville R. A. Chapter of Somerville.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Frank L. Morse, and Sir Chas. W. Houghton.
Committee: Sir J. Albert F. Newman, Sir Alvah M. Thompson, Sir John W. Scott.

Comp. Waldo Farnan
Residence: Russ Swan Sami Hall Av. ^{ester} Dorchester.
Occupation: Salesman; dyestuffs.
Place of Business: 68 Essex St Boston.
Member of Lafayette Lodge Roxbury and Dorchester R. A. Chapter of Dorchester.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir James S. Blake, and Sir Charles O. Moore.
Committee: Sir Timothy A. Alwood, Sir Charles S. Parker; Sir Henry Briggs.

Comp. Robert Frank Kendrick
Residence: 664 Tremont St. Boston.
Occupation: Ladies' Hatter.
Place of Business: 110 Utica St Boston.
Member of Excelsior Lodge of Franklin

and Orient R. A. Chapter No. 138, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Charles A. Watts, and Sir James S. Blake.
Committee: Sir Francis H. Appleton Jr. Sir Alman Laro Eastman, Sir Edward M. Fielding.

Comp. Henry Alfred Leeds
Residence: Albany, N. Y.
Occupation: Salesman and Book-keeper.
Place of Business: Boston, 139 Federal St.
Member of Hoiam Lodge, and Newton R. A. Chapter of Arlington.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir William Marshall, & Sir J. William W. W. W.
Committee: Sir Frederick Allen, Sir Theodore F. Allen, Sir Charles S. Cutler.

Comp. William Samue Stokes
Residence: 9 Erie St. Dorchester.
Occupation: Electrician.
Place of Business: 112 Franklin St. Boston.
Member of Faith Lodge of Charlestown, St Pauls R. A. Chapter of Boston.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Leland A. Whitney, and Sir Geo. R. P. P.
Committee: Sir Clarence E. Leamed, Sir Henry D. H. Morris, Sir Edgar H. Whitney.

10 The business of the Commandery was then suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened for the reception of candidates, and
Comp. Fred. Hayden.

Comp. William James Hunt.

Comp. Gibert Wilson Tinkler.

Comp. Frank Eugene Washington Howe.

Comp. Charles Wendworth Parker Jr.

Comp. Herman Marshall Rich.

Comp. George Lovejoy Swett.

Comp. Albert Franklin Walker

were created and constituted companions of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross in due form and with full ceremony.

11 The committee to whom was referred the matter of nominating a candidate to be initiated on foot Master of the Permanent Fund, requested, and was granted, further time.

12 The purpose for which the Council of the Red Cross was formed, having been accomplished, the Council was closed, and the business of the Commandery was resumed at five o'clock.

at this point, business was suspended.

ed, the lines formed and the Sir Knights marched to the Orangerie-hall where, for some time, was spent socially.

Among those present was a goodly number of the "older members" of the Commandery, who had responded to an invitation of the Eminent Commander to attend the Conclave, which had been called at an early hour in anticipation of their attendance.

13 At the close of the intermission, the business of the Commandery was resumed at seven forty-five o'clock.

E. Sir Charles E. Pierce, E. Grand Warden, announced that Rt. Em. E. Boutley Young, Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, was present for the purpose of making a fraternal visit to the Commandery.

The E. Commander appointed the following committee to wait upon and escort the Rt. E. Grand Commander into the Asylum:

Sir James S. Blake, Generalissimo, Chairman.

E. Sir Frederick H. Conner, E. Sir James H. Maynard.

E. Sir Eugene C. Holton E. Sir Charles Litchfield.

E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield, E. Sir Wm. C. Lawrence.

Ex-Sir Gilman Wade, E. Sir Rinaldo P. Richardson
 E. Sir Richard A. Alwood -
 Sir Richard Kappard, Sir Walter W. Boyden
 Sir John H. North, Sir Arthur E. Merrill
 Sir Enoch Dean, W. Wallau Frost

The lines were formed and the R. E. Grand Com-
 mander was escorted into the Asylum where he re-
 ceived from Em. Sir Samuell a most cor-
 dial and knightly welcome. He was
 then escorted to the East under an Arch
 of Steel.

14 E. & W. Frank Shove, acting Grand Warden,
 announced that Em. Sir John A. Munroe,
 Em. Grand Generalissimo, was present, ac-
 companied by a suite, for the purpose of
 making the annual inspection of the Eastern
 Commandery N. Y.

The same committee that had just
 escorted the R. E. Grand Commander into the
 Asylum was requested to wait upon the
 Em. Grand Generalissimo and escort him
 into the Asylum. The lines were again
 formed and the Em. Grand Generalis-
 simo was escorted to the East in ac-
 cordance with the Tactics for the re-
 ception of Grand officers.

He, too, was accorded a truly knightly

ly greeting by Em. Sir Samuell, and, after the
 customary exchange of courtesies, the Head
 of the Commandery was resigned to him
 and he was escorted to the East under an
 Arch of Steel.

The Em. Grand Generalissimo was accompanied by
 Em. Sir Walter T. Medding, E. Grand Lecturer
 Em. Oscar A. Shepard
 etc.

By forty-eight members of the Grand Command-
 ery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island,
 consisting of

Ornament Commander,
 Generalissimo

Captain-Generals

and Past E. Commanders

of sister Commanderies in the jurisdiction
 and
 E. Sir Ralph W. Crockett, Lewiston Maine

15 The official examination of Charter Rec-
 ords, By-Laws, Constitution and Code of
 Statutes of the Grand Encampment U. S. A.,
 Ritual of the Grand Encampment U. S. A.,
 as follows: Red Cross and Temple Nos.
 1500; 2841; 2842; Order of Malta
 No 1005; and Prelatis Work No 426
 was made in accordance with the

requirements of the Grand Commandery by the Em. Grand Generalissimo.

The official count was then taken with the following result:

Sir Knights in uniform	148
" " <u>not</u>	65
" " visitors	118
" " en suite	49
Total	<u>380</u>

At the close of the Inspection, the Eminent Commander was invited to resume the East for the purpose of proceeding with the work of the Conclave.

- 16 The business of the Commandery was then suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened for the reception of candidates and Comf. Jay Rogers Benton was created and constituted a companion of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross in Due Form and with full ceremony.

- 17 At the close of the work, the business of the Commandery was again resumed.

The Em. Grand Generalissimo, in addressing the Commandery, spoke

in a very commendatory manner of the good management of its affairs by its officers, and especially of the good ritualistic work of its officers as displayed in conferring the Obed

- 18 At the close of the exchange of compliments between the Em. Grand Generalissimo and Em. Sir Darnell, the lines were formed, and, with his suite, the Grand Generalissimo was escorted from the Asylum by the same committee that had introduced him into it.

The Commandery was then closed in Due Form, the lines formed, and the Em. Grand Generalissimo, and his suite escorted to the Pangnet hall, where an hour was passed socially.

A true record
attest:

J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

10 Ladies Night

Since our last Conclave Boston Commandery has held its usual annual event by a reception and entertainment tendered to the Ladies.

It has, however, departed from its custom in former years, by adding to it an afternoon entertainment for children, followed on the same date, in the evening, by one given for the youth of the members of the Commandery.

The so called Children's entertainment was given on Saturday, March 2, afternoon and evening, and has been referred to, by all who participated in it, as a delightful affair.

The Ladies night was held on Friday March 29 and included a banquet, at which more than three hundred and fifty Sir Knights and Ladies were seated; an entertainment, varied in its nature with Music, moving pictures,

a means so popular at the present time of instruction and amusement, also dancing.

Like the entertainment given the children, it was a pronounced success and both assemblies may well be said to reflect credit upon the committee having them in charge.

J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

- 20 The funeral of Sir Joseph Williams was held at his late residence, 128 Lake View Avenue, Cambridge, on Saturday, March 30, at three o'clock P.M. The following Sir Knights were asked to represent the Commandery at the Service:
- Sir Leander M. Hampton
 - Sir Enoch Deane
 - Sir Edw. E. Chick
 - Sir Charles L. Russell
 - Sir Oscar T. Allen
 - Sir Herman Bird
 - Sir Ossian H. Brock

- 21 The funeral of Sir Steuben T. Bacon was held at North Berwick Manor, at which place he has resided for several years. Services were held on Tuesday April 16 at 1:30 o'clock P.M. Owing to the great distance from Boston, no committee was appointed to attend the Service.

In Memoriam
Sir Frank Maldo Ames

In Memoriam

Sir Elijah P.

Born in Milford Ct., July 24 1820

Raised a Master Mason in St. John's Lodge,
Boston, Mass. February 3. 1860Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrew's
Royal Arch Chapter Boston, June 23. 1870Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templars
June 21, 1871Admitted to Membership
September 20. 1871Died in Boston Mass
Wednesday March 6
1907

In Memoriam

Sir James Utley M.D.

Born in New Marlboro', Mass., July 13. 1840

Raised a Master Mason in United Lodge,
Brunswick Maine, October 15. 1861Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Montgomery
Royal Arch Chapter Brunswick Maine, May 15. 1862Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar
in St. John's Commandery, Providence,
March 1. 1864Admitted to Membership
December 25. 1865Died in Newton Mass
Friday March 15.
1907

a Life Member

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Asylum of Boston Commandery, K. T.

Maroonic Temple,
Boston, Wednesday,
April 17, 1907.

Stated Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templar was opened in Free Form at six o'clock, P. M., with the following organization: -

1	Em Sir Charles S. Hamrell,	Commander
	Sir James S. Blake,	Generalissimo
	Sir Jesse E. Ames,	Captain General
	Sir Leonard W. Rose,	Senior Warden
	Sir Frederick C. Graves,	Junior Warden
	_____	Prelate
	_____	Associate Prelate
	_____	Treasurer
	E. Sir J. Silman Waite,	Recorder
	Sir Edwin A. Stone,	Standard Bearer
	Sir Edgar F. Hunt,	Sword Bearer
	Sir Francis H. Appleton,	Warden
	Sir Joseph T. Paul,	Captain of the Guard
	_____	Guard
	Sir Fred H. M. Laughlin,	"
	Sir Edward C. Hatch,	"

Sir Edward P. Buck, Guard
 Sir Francis H. Appleton Jr. "
 Sir Ralph M. Smyth, "
 Sir Charles W. Howard, "
 Sir Horace A. Jordan, "
 Sir George M. Paine, "

Adjutant
 Chief of Staff
 Surgeon
 Associate

Commissionary
 Quartermaster
 Deacons
 National Labor Peace
 Armory
 Secretary
 Musical Director
 Organist
 Orderly to the E.
 Grand Guide

- 7 Past Eminent Commander present -
 Eminent Sir James M. Gleason
 Eminent Sir Eugene A. Kellon
 Eminent Sir Henry H. Litchfield
 Eminent Sir Charles J. Litchfield
 Eminent Sir J. Gilman Waite

Eminent Sir Rinaldo P. Richardson
 Eminent Sir Richard A. Atwood

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Records.
 The record of the last Stated Conclave was read and declared approved

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Balloting
 Reports of the committees to which had been referred the petitions of Companions:
 Albert Cutler Ashton,
 Waldo Farrar,
 Reuben Frank Kendrick,
 Henry Alfred Leeds,
 William Samuel Stokes
 were received, and ballots taken, which proved to be clear, and they were declared to be elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood in Boston Commandery, K. T.

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The following petitions for the Orders were read:
 Comp. Arthur Whittaker Parister
 Residence: 28 Evans St. Boston
 Occupation: Manufacturer; Iron Specialties
 Place of Business 421 Dorchester Ave. Boston
 Member of Columbian Lodge and St. Paul's R. A. Chapter of Boston

Recommended and vouched for by Sir
Charles E. Hyman and Sir Jesse E. Ames.
Committee: Sir Albert Addison, Sir George
U. Pauer, and Sir Horace A. Jordan.

Comp. Henry Saunders Judge
Residence: 97 Allston St. West Medford
Occupation: Chief Clerk, State Treas. Dept.
Place of Business: State House, Boston
Member: Mount Vernon Lodge and Mys-
tic R. A. Chapter of Medford.

Recommended and vouched for by
Sir Hyman L. Pusey and Sir Gilbert Hodges
Committee: Sir Robert G. Tobey, Sir Forrest
E. Parker, and Sir Charles P. Austin

Comp. William Mason Chubb
Residence: South Frammingham, Mass.
Occupation: Asst. Electrical Engineer, Signal Corps U.S.A.
Place of Business: 263 Summer St., Boston
Member: Jackson Lodge No. 60, West Fairlee Vt.,
and St. Paul's R. A. Chapter, Boston

Recommended and vouched for by Sir
Oscar M. Chandler and Sir Howard M. Fletcher
Committee: Sir Louis P. Aray, Sir George
C. Patham, and Sir Charles W. Howard.

Comp. William Francis Sloan
Residence: 23 Ocean Ave., Winthrop, Mass.

Occupation: Druggist
Place of Business: 480 Shirley St. Winthrop, Mass.
Member of Winthrop Lodge and Winthrop
R. A. Chapter of Winthrop, Mass.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir David
A. McDonald and Sir Charles J. Samuels
Committee: Sirerville E. Johnson, Sir
Chas. A. Grant and Sir Hyman S. Weston

Comp. Spencer Haddon Canningham
Residence: 279 Fairmount St. Boston
Occupation: Financial Agt. for International Text Book Co.
Place of Business: 20 Pemberton Square, Boston
Member of John Abbot Lodge and Somerville
R. A. Chapter of Somerville
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Gilbert
Hodges and Sir J. Gilman Waite.
Committee: Fred L. Briggs, Sir John
H. MacAlman, and Sir Arthur E. Merrill

Comp. Burton Guy Ellis
Residence: 29 Almont St. Medford
Occupation: Advertiser
Place of Business: 137 Milk St. Boston
Member of Mount Vernon Lodge and
Mystic Royal Arch Chapter of Medford
Recommended and vouched for by Sir
Thomas H. Lord and Sir J. Gilman Waite
Committee: Sir Gilbert Hodges, Sir

Isaac H. Ayres Jr and Sir Thomas J. Patcock

Comp. William Edgar Hardy

Occupation: Grain Dealer

Residence: Arlington, Mass.

Place of Business: 615 Chamber of Commerce Boston

Member of Elgin Lodge and Menotomy

Royal Arch Chapter of Arlington

Recommended and vouched for by Sir Fred-

erick M. Lamont, and Sir George M. Fane

Committee: Sir George M. Store, Sir Herman

L. Dues, and Sir M. Wallace Frost

Comp. Harold Allen Holmes

Residence: South Frammingham, Mass

Occupation: Print. Shop Manager

Place of Business: 50 Bromfield St. Boston

Member of Joseph Webb Lodge and St. Pauls

Royal Arch Chapter, Boston

Recommended and vouched for by Sir Wal-

ter F. Jones, and Sir James S. Blake

Committee: Sir Frank P. Davis, Sir Wil-

liam Crave, and Sir George A. Clarke

Comp. Francis Garry Records, Jr.

Residence: Arlington Heights, Mass

Occupation: Landscape Architect

Place of Business: 155 Milk St. Boston

Member of Elgin Lodge and Menot-

omy Royal Arch Chapter, Arlington, Mass
Committee: Sir William Wadsworth, Sir Se-
ving O. Frost, and Sir Frank P. Eastman

Comp. Oscar Sherwin Stapez

Residence: 15 Ashland St. Worcester

Occupation: Mechanical Engineer

Place of Business: 20:24 Union Park St.

Member of St. Johns Lodge, Boston and Wor-

chester R. A. Chapter, Worcester

Recommended and vouched for by Sir Frank

E. Bacon, and Sir Edward F. Jacobs

Committee: Sir Everett P. Stone, Sir

Charles Henry Spear, and Sir Osman C. Webster

b The committee appointed to nominate a
candidate to be balloted on to fill the va-
cancy in the Board of Trustees of the Per-
manent Fund (p 429) made the follow-
ing report:

Report
Boston Mass., March 5, 1907

Eminent Commander and Sir Knights

of Boston Commandery:

Your Committee to nominate
a Trustee of the permanent fund to
succeed the late Sir Thomas F. Temple,
Trustee, respectfully report for nomi-
nation Sir William Craig

Respectfully submitted,

Committee { John H. North,
E. R. Smyth,
J. J. Emery, by permission,
J. H. North.

Report accepted.

- 1 In conformity to the provision of Article XV, Section 2, of the By-Laws, the Eminent Commander appointed "a Committee of three" to whom was referred the proposed "Amendment to the By-Laws," "creating a Charity Fund, whereby the Commandery may be empowered to receive and hold bequests for charity purposes, independent of all other funds of the Commandery." said committee to consist of
- Em. Sir William B. Lawrence,
Em. Sir James M. Gleason,
Sir Joseph D. Bennett

- 2 The Eminent Commander, in anticipation of the adoption of the amendment creating "The Charity Fund of Boston Commandery of Knights Templars", and its subsequent approv.


in Grand Commandery, appointed a committee of three, consisting of

Sir John H. North,

Sir Edwin R. Smyth,

Sir Thomas J. Emery

to nominate a list of three candidates to be balloted on for the Board to be styled "The Trustees of the Charity Fund of Boston Commandery of Knights Templars", in accordance with Section 2 of said amendment creating the Charity Fund.

4  Grand Commandery
of
Knights Templars
and the
Appendant Orders
of
Massachusetts and Rhode Island

Office of the P. E. Grand Commander
104 Appleton St., Boston, Mass.

General Orders No. 3.

Series 1907-1908

To the Officers and
Members of the Grand Commandery, and
the Officers and Members of Subordinate
Commanderies in this jurisdiction:

In Sadness, Greeting:

The Grim Angel of death has entered our Grand Commandery, and removed from our companionship a courteous frater, prominent in knightly circles, noted both in civil and social life, beloved in church and esteemed by all who came under the influence of his genial personality.

Right Eminent Sir

Edward Livingston Freeman

Past Grand Commander

died at his home in Central Falls, Rhode Island, on Sunday, February 24, 1907.

His sickness was of short duration; one week only did he suffer from the dread disease pneumonia, before he was taken from the scenes of earth to the rewards that await the valiant Templar.

Our deceased frater was born in Waterville, Maine, September 10, 1835. His father was a clergyman, by name Rev. Edward Freeman. His father

and mother alike were possessed of a liberal education and desired that the son should be equally well fitted for the responsibilities of life. The son, however, after fitting for college, abandoned the idea of pursuing his education farther, and learned the printing business, making his way up therein until he became the head of the well-known firm of E. L. Freeman and Son. For many years all the official printing of the State of Rhode Island has been done by this firm. Its reputation for thorough and faithful work is very generally recognized.

The story of his life is very interesting filled as it is with deeds of resolute endeavor in behalf of mankind. For twenty-eight years he served his State in the general assembly of Rhode Island. He was speaker of the House of Representatives for a period of two years; was senator for several years, serving the Senate for ten years as chairman of the Committee on Judiciary. He represented the city of Central Falls at a subsequent period in his life, a second time, as Senator, holding the office till 1903. He occupied the position of Railroad Commissioner from May

1889, until his death; was a member of The John Waterman Memorial Commission for the revision of the constitution of Rhode Island. For nineteen years he was a member of the Board of Stewards, the governing body of Central Falls.

He was at one time Colonel of the Union Guard, one of the oldest military organizations of the State. He was for fifty years a consistent church member, being active in the Congregational Church of his adopted city, and served as its Sunday-school superintendent for twenty years. This brief statement of his public, social, and religious life gives but a faint idea of his long-continued activity in public affairs. His many friends recognized in him a man of progressive thought and undoubted integrity; a citizen possessed of clear and comprehensive conceptions of regard to public affairs.

His Masonic career is equally interesting and instructive.

He was initiated in Union Lodge No. 10 of Pawtucket, and became

a member June 15, 1864. After filling the subordinate positions of the Lodge, he was elected Worshipful Master in 1868, serving two years in that position. He was District Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge for two years, and Deputy Grand Master for four years. In 1879 he was elected Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in Rhode Island, serving in that capacity two years. He was Devalled in Pawtucket Chapter in 1865, and was Grand High Priest of the Grand Chapter of Rhode Island during the years 1885 and 1886. In 1865 he received the Orders in Holy Sepulchre Commandery, which body he subsequently served as Eminent Commander for three years. In the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island he was in office for several years, beginning service therein as Grand Lecturer in 1871. He was promoted from year to year till, in the year 1888, he was called to the responsible and honorable office of Grand Commander. In all these varied positions he sustained himself with dignity and char-

acter, winning at all times the confidence of the bodies he served. His funeral was held at the Congregational Church, Central Falls, on Wednesday, February 27, 1907, at two o'clock.

The sacred edifice was filled with a large representation of masonic friends, state officials, and business men. Among those present were the Grand Master of Masons in Rhode Island, six Past Grand Masters, and the officers of the Grand Lodge. The Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island was represented by Very Em. and Rev. Henry W. Rugg, D. D., Rt. Em. Geo. B. Dunbar, Rt. Em. John P. Sauborn, Rt. Em. Herbert F. More, and Rt. Em. Freeman C. Hensley, M. A., Past Grand Commanders.

There were also present the Hon. James B. Higgins, Governor of Rhode Island, and Ex-Governors Kimball and Utter, not to mention other representative men from every walk in life.

Very many organizations were present, to testify their respect for the deceased.

among which were Holy Sepulchre Commandery, Pawtucket Chapter Union Lodge, the two Providence Lodges of which he was an honorary member, and the Scottish Rite Bodies of Providence.

Rev. J. H. Lyon, pastor of the church, conducted the services, which consisted of Scripture reading, singing by the Schuman Quartette of Providence, and a memorial address.

At the grave, in Riverside Cemetery, a Masonic burial service was held by the Grand Lodge of Rhode Island. Rev. Dr. Henry W. Rugg acting as Chaplain.

The earthly record of our distinguished frater, so noble, so pure and helpful, is finished. Well may his many friends cherish his memory! To the institution of Freemasonry he was an ornament. To Templecraft he was an inspiration. Gone from mortal sight in person, but still among us through the abiding influence of an upright life, our frater rests from his labors.

How beautiful it is for a man to die,
Upon the hills of Zion to be called.

Like a watch-worn and weary sentinel,
To put his armor off, and rest himself at ease."

As a tribute of respect to our beloved
Frater, it is hereby ordered that the
banners, jewels, and altars of this
Grand Commandery be draped in
mourning for sixty days, and
that similar mourning be worn
on the jewels, banners and altars of
each subordinate Commandery
for a like period.

It is further ordered that this trib-
ute be read at the head of the laws
in each body at the next Regular
Conclave after its receipt, and
be spread upon the records.

E. Bentley Young.
Grand Commander.

P. M. Rowle,
Grand Recorder.



10 The Eminent Commander announced
the following deaths and ordered, that a
page of the Records be inscribed to
the memory of each Sir Knight:

Sir Joseph Williams March 27, 1907
Sir Stephen T. Bacon April 14, 1907

11 The Order of the Temple was then conferred
in due form, and with full ceremony, and
the following named Companions of the Il-
lustrious Order of the Red Cross were
dubbed and created Knights of the
Valiant and Magnanimous Order of
the Temple, Knights Templar, viz:-
Comp. Fred Hayden,
Comp. William James Hunt,
Comp. Jay Rogers Benton,
Comp. Abner Wilson Finlay,
Comp. Frank Eugene Washington Howr,
Comp. Charles Wentworth Parker Jr.,
Comp. Herman Marshall Rich,
Comp. Albert Franklin Walker.

The Order of Malta was then conferred
in short form, and the above named
Sir Knights were dubbed and created
Knights of Malta, signed the Ch. Laws
and became members of Boston

Commandery of Knights Templars, receiving a copy of the By-Laws and a Diploma

- 12 The Eminent Commander called attention to the Triennial of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templars U.S.A. in July and urged the members, who proposed to attend it, to register their names with the Treasurer of the commandery, Eminent Sir Henry H. Litchfield, ready to assist the committee in making plans for their comfort and pleasure.

No further business appearing the Commandery was closed in due form, the lines formed, and the Sir Knights repaired to the Banquet hall.

Sir Knights in uniform 49
" " Visitors

a true record.
Attest: J. Gilman Walter
Records.

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In Memoriam

Sir Joseph Williams

Born in Boston, Mass. April 1 1833

Raised a Master Mason in Amicable
Lodge, Cambridge, Mass, January 18. 1866

Erected a Royal Arch Mason in Cam-
bridge Royal Arch Chapter, March 15. 1867

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templars
March 11. 1869

Admitted to Membership
April 21, 1869

Died in Cambridge, Mass.
Wednesday, March 27,
1890

In Memoriam

Sir Steuben Taylor Bacon

Born in Middletown Ct, August 19, 1823

Raised a Master Mason in Columbian Lodge
Boston, Mass June 21. 1856

Erected a Royal Arch Mason in St Andrews
Royal Arch Chapter Boston, March 3. 1858

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant
and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templars
May 9, 1858.

Admitted to Membership
September 15, 1858

Died in North Berwick, Maine,
Sunday, April 14,
1907

Asylum of Boston Commandery K.T.
Masonic Temple,

Boston Thursday, May 6, 1891

Special Occasion

A Commandery of Knights Templar was
opened at twelve o'clock and forty-five
minutes for the purpose of attending the
funeral of our late Sir Knight,

William Wallace Frost,
at his late residence, 424 Massachusetts
Avenue, Boston.

Organization

E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield	Commander
E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield	Generalissimo
E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield	Captain General
Sir Oscar F. Allen	Treasurer
E. Sir J. Gilman Waite	Recorder
Sir George L. Perin, D.D.	Prelate
Sir Edgar F. Hunt	Sword Bearer
Sir Edward O. Hatch	Guard
Sir Edward P. Brock	"
Sir Isaac E. Secor	"
Sir Franklin E. Russell	"
Sir Walter L. Langens	"
Sir Robert E. Quinn	"
Sir Thomas M. Carter	Musical Director
Sir J. Frederick Lumber	Usher
Sir Edward F. Jacobs	"

E. Sir James M. Mason	Sir Richard Hapgood
Sir Frederick M. Bliss	Sir David A. McDonald
Sir A. F. Decker	Sir Charles F. Merrill
Sir Walter W. Boyden	Sir Hyekiah M. Laughlin
Sir John A. Bell	Sir Allan C. Prescott
Sir Enoch Beane	Sir Levi L. Rowe
Sir A. M. L. Clute	Sir John C. Ross
Sir Edward E. Chick	Sir Charles L. Russell
Sir Melrose E. Johnson	Sir Geo. L. H. Stevenson
Sir George E. Farnell	Sir Geo. H. Witt
Sir George A. Griffith	Sir Albert J. Whitney
Sir John H. Houghton	

The lines were formed, and a car taken
for the house where the Templar burial service
was rendered by the officers of the Com-
mandery, at the close which the car was
resumed and the Commandery returned
to the Temple where it was closed
at two o'clock P.M. and the lines
dismissed.

The interment was at Hyannis,
Mass.

Lunch was served
A true record

Attest: J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

Asylum of Boston Commandery, I. T.
Masonic Temple,
Boston, Wednesday,
May 15, 1901.

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in due, in Doric Hall at five o'clock P. M. with the following organization:-

E. Sir Charles S. Samuell	Commander
E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield	as Generalissimo
Sir Jesse E. Ames	Captain General
Sir Leonard W. Rose	Senior Warden
Sir Frederick C. Graves	Junior Warden
Sir Rev. Geo. L. Perin, D.D.	Prelate
_____	Associate

Sir Oscar F. Allen	Treasurer
E. Sir J. Gilman Wade	Recorder
Sir Edwin A. Stone	Standard Bearer
Sir Edgar F. Hunt	Sword Bearer
Sir Francis H. Appleton	Warden
Sir Joseph T. Paul	Captain of the Guard

Sir Fred H. McLaughlin	"
Sir Edward C. Hatch	"
Sir Edward P. Brock	"
Sir Francis H. Appleton	"

Sir Ralph W. Smyth	Guard
Sir Charles H. Howard	"
Sir Horace W. Jordan	"
Sir George M. Pauer	"
E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield	Chief of Staff
_____	Surgeon
_____	Assistant
_____	"

Sir Richard Hapgood	Commissary
Sir Ezekiah M. Laughlin	Quartermaster
Sir Geo. L. H. Stearnson	Paucant Bearer
Sir David A. McLaughlin	as Color Bearer
Sir J. Frederick Sampson	Armorer
Sir Edward J. Jacobs	Sentinel
Sir Thomas M. Carter	Musical Director
Sir Eben H. Bailey	Organist
_____	Orderly to E. C.
_____	Pand Guide

Past Eminent Commanders present:-

E. Sir James M. Mason,
E. Sir Eugene A. Holtow,
E. Sir Charles S. Litchfield,
E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield,
E. Sir J. Gilman Wade,
E. Sir Rinaldo P. Richardson,

3 The committees to which the petitions of

Companions: Arthur Whittaker, Paunster,
Henry Saunders Bridge, Burton Guy Ellis,
Spurgeon Haddon Cunningham,
William Edgar Hardy, Francis Pany Records,
Oscar Sherwin Staples and William Francis Slover
made reports, and ballots were taken, which,
in each case, proved to be clear, and
they were severally declared to be elected
to receive the Orders of Knighthood in
the Boston Commandery, N.Y.

3' The following communications were
read:-

Natick Commandery
Knights Templar, No. 33,
Natick Mass., May 13, 1901
Em. Sir J. Gilman Waite, Recorder,
Em. Sir:

Natick Commandery by its vote
refuses to grant a release of jurisdiction
over Companion William M. Chubb
of So. Framingham, Mass., to Boston
Commandery.

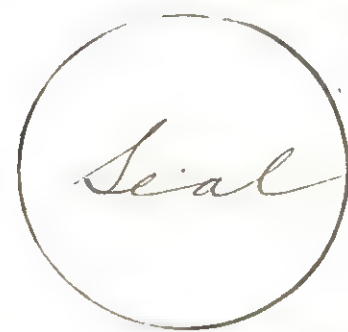
Courteously Yours,
W. W. Wright
Recorder



Natick Commandery
Knights Templar, No. 33
Natick Mass., May 13, 1901,
Em. Sir J. Gilman Waite, Recorder
Em. Sir:

Natick Commandery by its vote
refuses to grant a release of jurisdic-
tion over Companion Harold Allen
Holmes of, So. Framingham, Mass.,
to Boston Commandery.

Courteously Yours,
W. W. Wright,
Recorder



The business of the Commandery
was then suspended, and a Council
of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross
opened for the reception of candidates,
and Companions:-

William Henry Dean, Albert Carter Ashten,
Waldo Farnham, Robert Frank Kendrick,
Henry Alfred Leeds, William Samuel Stokes,
Arthur Whittaker Paunster, Henry Saunders
Bridge, Spurgeon Haddon Cun-
ningham, Burton Guy Ellis, William
Edgar Hardy, Francis Pany Records,
Jr., Oscar Sherwin Staples, and

William Francis Storer were created and constituted companions of the illustrious Order of the Red Cross in Due Form and with full ceremony.

- 5 At seven o'clock and twenty-five minutes, however, the work of the Red Cross was suspended and the business of the Commandery resumed.

Records.

The records of the last Stated, and the Special Conclave of May 9, were read and declared approved.

Election of a Trustee

In accordance with the provisions of Article VII, Section 4, of the By-Laws, the Commandery proceeded to the election of a member of "The Trustees of the Permanent Fund of Boston Commandery" to fill the vacancy in said Board caused by the death of Sir Thomas F. Temple.

As a result of the ballot, which was taken, Sir William Craig was declared to be elected, unanimously, one hundred and seven Sir Knights being present and voting.

Action on the proposed amendments to the By-Laws, recorded on pages 429 to 433, was then had, the provisions of Article XV of the By-Laws, having been fully complied with.

The committee to whom was referred the proposed "amendment to the By-Laws, creating a Charity Fund", reported, through E. Sir James M. Gleason, recommending its adoption.

On motion of E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield the word "Stated" was substituted for the word "regular" in the sixth, and last, line as recorded on page 431 of these Records, in order that the amendment may conform to the rest of the By-Laws. E. Sir Gleason, in behalf of the committee, accepted the recommendation.

Action was first had upon the amendment to Article VII, Section 2. The count of the members showed that one hundred and seven were present. As a result of the vote that was taken it was found, that the amendment had been adopted, unanimously, and so declared.

A vote was then taken upon the

Amendment, known as
Article VII (A),
as amended. At the close of the
count, it was found that this
amendment, also, had been adopt-
ed, unanimously, and it was
so declared.

9 These amendments were duly
approved in Grand Commandery,
in Semi-annual Conclave, on
May 25, 1907.

10 Before resuming the work of the Con-
clave, the Eminent Commander, in
a very earnest manner, urged
upon the members the necessity of tak-
ing immediate ^{action} with reference to
the Triennial Conclave to occur in
the early days of the month of June
at Saratoga, N.Y.

10' The death of Sir William Wallace
Trust was announced, and it was
ordered, that a page of the Records be
inscribed to his memory.

11 The business of the Commandery was
again suspended, and a Council of the
Illustrated Order of the Red Cross organized
for the purpose of concluding the

work of the Order.

At its conclusion the busi-
ness of the Commandery was again
resumed. Then appearing to be
no further business to come before the
Commandery it was closed with the
Form, the flint formed and the Sir
Knights proceeded to the Banquet
Hall where an hour was passed
socially.

A true record.

Attest J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

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1907

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In Memoriam

Sir William Wallace Frost

Born in Boston, Mass., June 29, 1850.

Raised a Master Mason in Fraternal Lodge, Hyannis, Mass., April 18, 1866.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in Orient Royal Arch Chapter, Hyannis, Jan. 16, 1871.

Subbed and created a Knight of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple a Knight Templar in Boston Commandery of Knights Templars February 19, 1896.

Admitted to Membership.
February 19, 1896.

Died in Boston, Mass.
Tuesday May 7
1907

A. Life Member

Asylum of Boston Commandery, A.D.
Masonic Temple,
Boston, Wednesday,

June 19, 1907.

Stated Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in the Town at five o'clock, P.M., with the following organization:

1. E. Sir Charles S. Samuell,	Commander
Sir James S. Blake,	Generalissimo
Sir Jesse E. Ames,	Captain General
Sir Leonard W. Ross,	Senior Warden
Sir Frederick C. Graves,	Junior Warden
Sir Rev. George L. Perin S.D.,	Prelate
	Associate Prelate
Sir Oscar A. Allen,	Treasurer
E. Sir J. Gilman Waite,	Recorder
Sir Edwin A. Stone,	Standard Bearer
Sir Edgar T. Hunt,	Sword Bearer
Sir Francis K. Appleton,	Warden
Sir Joseph T. Paul,	Capt. of the Guard
Sir Fred H. M. Laughlin,	Guard
Sir Edward C. Hatch,	"
Sir Edward P. Brock,	"

_____	Guard
Sir Ralph M. Smyth	"
Sir Charles W. Howard	"
_____	"
Sir George U. Fane	"
_____	Adjutant
E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield	Chief of Staff
_____	Surgeon
_____	Asst. "
_____	Commissary
_____	Quartermaster
Sir David A. McDonald	National Color Bearer
Sir George L. H. Stevenson	Grandmaster
Sir J. Frederick Sampson	Armorer
Sir Edward F. Jacob	Sutler
Sir Thomas M. Carter	Musical Director
Sir E. W. H. Pailer	Organist

2. Past Eminent Commander present
 E. Sir James M. Gleason
 E. Sir Eugene A. Hottel
 E. Sir Charles J. Litchfield
 E. Sir Henry H. Litchfield
 E. Sir J. Gilman Waste

The Order of the Temple was conferred in due form and with full ceremony, and the following named

Companions of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross were dubbed and created Knights of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, Knights Templar, viz:

Comp. William Henry Dean.
 Comp. George Lovjoy Swett.
 Comp. Fred. Whetton Yrator.
 Comp. Albert Carter Ashton.
 Comp. Waldo Farrar.
 Comp. Reuben Frank Kendrick.
 Comp. Henry Alfred Leeds.
 Comp. William Samuel Stokes.
 Comp. Arthur Whitaker Parister.
 Comp. Henry Saunders Pridge.
 Comp. Surgeon Haddon Cunningham.
 Comp. Burton Guy Ellis.
 Comp. William Edgar Hardy.
 Comp. Francis Garry Records Jr.
 Comp. Oscar Sherwin Staples.
 Comp. William Francis Store.

4 At seven-thirty o'clock, however, the work of the Order was suspended for the purpose of transacting the business of the Conclave as stated on the notice.

Records

- 5 The record of the last Stated Con-
clave was read and approved

Election

- 6 The Commandery then proceeded to
an election of their Trustees of "The
Charity Fund of Boston Commandery
of Knights Templar" as provided in
Article VII (A) of the By. Laws.

The following report was presented:

Boston, Mass., May 8, 1907

To the Eminent Commander and
Sir Knights of Boston Commandery:

Your committee appointed to
nominate candidates for trustees of
the Charity Fund under the provisions
of Section 2 of the proposed amend-
ment have attended to their duty
and nominate the following:-

Sir Knight serving until the Annual Convocation 1907
Eminent Sir James M. Gleason " " " 1908
Sir John A. Rhoades " " " 1909

Respectfully Submitted

John K. North

Thomas J. Emery

E. R. Smyth

(Committee)

On motion, it was voted to accept

the report of the committee and
proceed to a ballot.

Tellers

Sir William L. Culman

Sir Josiah D. Dyer

Sir George G. Stratton

were appointed Tellers

As a result of the ballot
that was taken, the following Sir
Knights were declared to be elect-
ed, unanimously:

Sir William Craig, term expires October, 1907,
Sir James M. Gleason " " " 1908
Sir Robert A. Rhoades " " " 1909

- 7 The following petitions for the Orders
were received:

Comp William Mason Chubb.

Residence: 7 More St. Dorchester

Occupation: Asst. Electrical Eng. Signal Corps U.S.A.

Place of Business: 263 Summer St. Boston

Member of Jackson Lodge, No. 60, W. Fairbairn, St.

and St. Pauls R. A. Chapter, Boston.

Recommended and vouched for by Sir

Osceola M. Chandler, and Sir H. M. Fletcher

Committee: Sir Horace P. Palmer, Sir

Charles W. Howard, and Sir Wm. J. Gules

Comp. Richard Jeremiah Davis

Residence: 6 Linwood Sq. Roxbury
 Occupation: Musician
 Place of Business: 88 Court St. Boston
 Member of Golden Rule Lodge, Wakefield,
 Mass., and St. Andrew's R.A. Chapter, Boston.
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir
 Thomas M. Carter and Sir Geo. M. Weston
 Committee: Sir Samuel P. Parker, Sir George
 P. Burns, and Sir Fried. W. Caprice.

Comp. Harry Wilson DeFoster
 Residence: Mechanic Falls, Maine
 Occupation: Travelling Salesman
 Place of Business: Massachusetts
 Member of Syrian Lodge No 13
 ——— and St. Andrew's R.A. Chapter
 Mechanic Falls, Me.
 Recommended and Vouched for by Sir
 James DeFoster and Sir Francis H. Appleton
 Committee: Sir Edward P. Brock, Sir Mal-
 ler L. Spangas, and Sir Fred H. M. Laughlin

Comp. Wilbur Forbes Evans
 Residence: 90 Ganisborough St. Boston
 Occupation: Pres. Mgr. Electric Maintenance Co.
 Place of Business: 149 Paul St. Boston
 Member of St. John's Lodge and St. An-
 drew's R.A. Chapter of Boston
 Recommended and Vouched for

by Sir Jesse Edwin Cummings and Sir Frank K. Bowles
 Committee: Sir Henry A. Davis Jr., Sir Henry D.
 Selano, and Sir Hebert D. Boye.

Comp. Ernest Everett Holmes
 Residence: 83 St. Botolph St. Boston
 Occupation: Salesman
 Place of Business: 12 Cornhill, Boston
 Member of Joseph Webb Lodge and St.
 Paul's R.A. Chapter of Boston.
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir
 Herman L. Klein and Sir Paul C. Klein.
 Committee: Sir Eliast. Colswell, Sir
 Robert Crooks and Sir Howard M. Fletcher

Comp. William Irving Palmer
 Residence: Winchester, Mass.
 Occupation: Lumber Merchant
 Place of Business: Charlestown Dist. Boston
 Member of William Packman Lodge of Win-
 chester and Woburn R.A. Chapter Woburn
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir George
 G. Mattson and Sir Irving S. Palmer.
 Committee: Sir Walter J. Palmer, Sir Geo.
 E. Pratt, and Sir Charles F. Wyman

Comp. Anthony Wayne Strauss
 Residence: 1839 Mass. Ave. Cambridge
 Occupation: Real Estate.

Place of Business: _____
 Member of Joseph Webb Lodge and St.
 Pauls R. A. Chapter of Boston.
 Recommended and vouched for by E. Sir
 Charles S. Samuell and Sir Jesse E. Ames.
 Committee: E. Sir John H. Bowker, Sir Albert
 F. Ames and Sir Nicholas F. Bechtel.

Comp. Frank Lincoln Ward
 Residence: 42 Quincy St. Roxbury
 Occupation: Travelling Salesman
 Place of Business: 55 Bedford St. Boston
 Member of Mt. Lebanon Lodge and St.
 Andrews R. A. Chapter of Boston
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir
 Edward O. Hatch and Sir J. T. Paul
 Committee: Sir John D. Allen, Sir James
 F. Bliss, and Sir Charles E. Bright

Comp. Gilbert Alfred Waters
 Residence: 32 Empire St. Allston, Mass.
 Occupation: Photographer
 Place of Business: 146 Tremont St. Boston
 Member of Lafayette Lodge, Roxbury and St.
 Pauls R. A. Chapter of Boston
 Recommended and vouched for by Sir
 Josiah Hathaway and Sir Roy A. Fayer
 Committee: Sir Charles L. Frankel, Sir
 James E. Dingley and Sir Oscar M. Chandler

The following communication was received:
 Connecticut Valley Commandery
 Knights Templar
 Greenfield Mass, June 17, 1907.
 Eminent Sir Charles S. Samuell:-
 Boston,

Em. and Dear Sir:-

This Commandery has received applications for the degrees conferred by it from two Companions resident in Boston, namely Frederick Russell Hollister, a salesman whose place of business is in Providence and whose residence is Hotel Nottingham, Boston. His reason for wishing to receive the degrees in your Commandery is he was born and grew up in Greenfield and is a member of the Lodge and Chapter here.

The other is William Lucius Fawham who lives at 28 Huron Park, whose reason is that he is a member of the Lodge and Chapter here and was for a considerable time a resident of Greenfield.

Will you kindly give the consent of your Commandery to confer the degrees upon these two Companions

and greatly obliges us?
 Respectfully and courteously,
 Gordon D. Williams,
 Recorder

On motion, it was Voted: that the request of Connecticut Valley Commandery be granted, and jurisdiction over Com. Parvius Frederick Russell Hollister and William Lucius Sanham be released unto it.

9 On motion, it was Voted: that the thanks of Boston Commandery be and here by are tendered to Oliver Commandery, of Lynn, for its courtesy shown in confirming the illustrious Order of the Red Cross upon Comp. Fred Wheelon Yeaton, a petitioner to Boston Commandery at its last Stated Conclave, May 29. Last.

10 A dispensation of the R. Em. Grand Commander, authorizing the Commanderies of the Jurisdiction to appear in the parade at the opening of the Thirtieth Triennial Convocation of the Grand Encampment, U. S. C., at Sacramento

A. M. on Tuesday, July 9, 1907, was read and placed on file.

11 The Eminent Commander called the attention of the Commandery to the oil painting, recently hung in the library, painted and presented by Sir Frank H. Parker, M. D., of Mil. Sean Parkman Commandery.

The subject is, a Mounted Knight. On motion, it was Voted: that the thanks of the Commandery be, and hereby are, tendered to Sir Knight Parker for his gift.

12 On motion, it was Voted: that the Stated Conclaves of July and August, next, be omitted.

13 No further business appearing the work of the Temple was resumed at eight o'clock and ten minutes, at the conclusion of which the illustrious Companions of the Red Cross, named above, were dubbed and created Knights of the Valiant and Maguaymow Order of the Temple Knights Templars, in due time and with full ceremony.

14 The Order of Malta was then conferred in Short Form and the above Sir Knights were Dubbed and Created Knights of Malta, after which they each became members of the Commandery by signing the By-Laws, receiving a copy of the same, and a Diploma.

15 The Commandery was then closed in Due Form, the lines formed, and headed by the Eminent Commander, proceeded to the Pangloss Hall, where after a social hour the Sir Knights were entertained with a series of 'Moving Views' from the Stereopticon.

Sir Knights in Uniform 33
" " Visitors

a true record

Attest:

J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

16 The funeral of Sir John E. S. Samuell, who died at Dover, Mass., on Sunday, June 28, was held in the Chapel (at Forest Hills Cemetery, on Tuesday, June 25, at two o'clock P.M.)

17 The funeral of Sir Charles Thresher Rawson, who died at Brookline, Mass., on Monday, July 1, was held in the Chapel (at Mount Auburn Cemetery, on Wednesday, July 3, as was learned from the Daily paper. No notice of the death was given to the Commandery by the friends of the deceased.

18 The funeral of Sir Coolidge Barnard was held from his late residence, 26 Mill St. Garrison Square Dorchester, on Friday, July 5, and was of a private nature

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Assembly of Boston Commandery, K. T.
Friday, July 26, 1907
Masonic Temple, Boston.

Special Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templar was opened at one o'clock and fifty minutes, P.M., with the following organization:-

E. Sir Charles L. Russell,	Commander
Sir James S. Blake,	Generalissimo
" " "	as Orate
Sir Josiah T. Lyle,	as Recorder
Sir Leonard H. Ross,	Senior Warden
Sir Frederick C. Graves,	Junior Warden
Sir J. Frederick Sampson	Armour
Sir George S. Foster,	Guard
Sir Robert E. Turner,	"
Sir David A. McDonald,	"
Sir Edward E. Chick,	"
Sir George A. Farrell,	"
Sir Wm. H. Pallett,	"

Sir Charles L. Russell
Sir Albert E. Hall, Sir Conrad M. Gulach
Sir A. F. Bechler Sir Wm. H. Stocker

The Commanding Officer stated that the Special Conclave had been called for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Sir Knight

Sir Hugh Jamison Taggart, and in accordance with his expressed wish, to give the Templar Burial Service.

The lines were formed and a Special Car was taken for his late residence, No 1495 Centre St. Newton Highlands, where the service was performed.

At the conclusion of the service, the Special Car was resumed and the Sir Knights returned to the Temple where the Commandery was closed and the lines dismissed.

Lunch was served.

A true record,

Attest:

J Gilman Waite
Recorder

Commandery of Boston Commandery, A.S.
Masonic Temple,
Boston, Monday, July 29, 1907.

Special Conclave.

A Commandery of Knights Templar was opened in the Masonry at two o'clock, P.M., with the following organization:

Bro Charles S. Jamell,	Commander
Bro James S. Blake,	Generalissimo
" " "	Prelate
Bro Leonard W. Ross,	Senior Warden
" " "	Junior Warden
Bro J. Gilman Waite,	Recorder
Bro J. Frederick Sampson,	Chamberlain
Bro David A. McDonald,	Guard
Bro George R. Farrell,	"
Bro John A. Bell,	"
Bro Edward E. Chick,	"
Bro Edward Jacobs,	Secretary

Sir Knights.
Bro Charles L. Russell, Bro Joseph J. Kewes
Bro Josiah T. Wyer, Bro H. F. Dickel
Bro Rufus Holman, Bro L. Weston White
Bro Hubert E. Boyden, Bro Wm. J. Blocker
Bro Wm. B. Wolcott of H. Amn Commandery

Gate of the Temple Lodge, and St. Matthew's Royal Arch Chapter were represented at the funeral by delegations of their Past presiding officers.

The Eminent Commander stated, at the opening, that the Special Conclave had been called for the purpose of attending the funeral of one of our oldest members, and, in accordance with his expressed wish, rendering the Templar Burial Service, at his late residence, 380 Columbus Avenue Boston, at three o'clock.

The lines were formed, and a special car taken at two thirty o'clock.

A brief eulogy upon the life and character of Sir Walter Wellington Boyden was pronounced by his lifelong friend, and pastor, Rev. Albert H. Plumb, which was followed by the Templar Burial Service by the officers of the Commandery.

The special car was resumed by

the members of the Commandery who returned to the Armory where the Commandery was closed and the ions dismissed.

Sir Knight Rufus H. Homan, Charles L. Russell, Edward E. Chick and David A. McDonald, were detailed as Pall-bearers.

Lunch was served

A true record

Attest:

J. Gilman Waite
Recorder

In Memoriam

Sir Joseph Gibson Holt

Born in Henniker, N. H., March 9, 1839

Raised a Master Mason in Amicable Lodge, Cambridge, Mass., February 5, 1863.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Paul's Royal Arch Chapter, Boston, May 31, 1864.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple,
a Knight Templar,
in Boston Commandery of Knights Templars,
January 30, 1865.

Admitted to Membership
April 19, 1865

Died in Boston,
Massachusetts,

Tuesday, June 18,
1907.

In Memoriam

Sir John Edward Stanhope Damrell

Born in Boston, Mass., March 29, 1854

Raised a Master Mason in Mt. Lebanon Lodge, Boston, Mass.

Exalted a Royal Arch Mason in St. Andrew's Royal Arch Chapter, Boston.

Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, a Knight Templar in Boston Commandery of Knights Templars June 19, 1895

Admitted to Membership June 19, 1895

Died at Dover, Mass.

Sunday, June 23 1907.

In Boston Commandery
Masonic Temple, Boston,
Monday, July 8, 1907.

Special Conclave

A Special Conclave of the Commandery was opened in Rue Form at 8 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of attending the 31st Triennial Conclave of the Grand Encampment of the United States at Saratoga, N. Y., with the following organization:

Emt. Sir Charles S. Damrell	Emt. Commander
Sir James S. Blake	Generalissimo
Sir Jesse C. Ames	Captain General
Sir Leonard W. Ross	Senior Warden
Sir Frederick C. Graves	Junior Warden
Sir Oscar F. Allen	Treasurer
Sir Herbert A. Rhoades	Recorder
Sir Edwin A. Stone	Standard Bearer
Sir Charles W. Howard	Sword Bearer
Sir Francis H. Appleton	Warden
Sir William C. Burr	Adjutant
Sir Emt. Richard A. Uttersted	Chief of Staff
Sir Edward C. Hatch	Captain of Guard
Sir Richard H. Aggood	Commissary
Sir Hezekiah McLaughlin	Quartermaster
Sir George L. Stevens	Beausant Bearer
Sir David C. McDonald	Historical Recorder
Sir George H. Bower	Editor of Commandery

Sir Edward F. Brock,	Orderly to Commander
Sir Walter L. Fougas	
Sir Ralph M. Smyth	
Sir Wilbert Soule	
Sir Herman L. Klein	
Sir Robert C. Turner	Standard Guard
Sir Thomas M. Carter	
	Musical Director

The lines were formed and at 8:45 o'clock, the Commandery left the Temple, and headed by Carter's Boston Commandery Band, marched to the South Station by way of Tremont, Winter and Summer Streets, where they were joined by the ladies and at 9:20 A. M., left by a special train for Saratoga, the party consisting of 51 Sir Knights and 47 ladies.

The General Dispensation granted by the Rt. Em. Grand Commander as read at the records of the June Conclave was again read.

Luncheon was served in the Railroad Dining room at Springfield, Mass. The train arrived at Albany at 3:50 o'clock, P. M., where the ladies were taken to the Hotel Ten Eyck in carriages, the Commandery marching.

At Albany all were free to enjoy themselves in their own way until the following morning, a portion of the evening being a concert by the band in the corridor of the Hotel.

a concert by the band in the corridor of the Hotel. The Commandery left the Hotel Tuesday morning at 7:40 o'clock headed by the band and marched to the station. The ladies being taken in carriages as before.

The special train was taken at 8 o'clock for Saratoga which was reached at 9:47 o'clock. Here the party was joined by 64 Sir Knights under command of the Captain General Sir J. E. Ames, who had come directly through from Boston to Saratoga.

The parade was a very enjoyable one, the perfect day, well kept streets and good music, making it one long to be remembered. The peculiarity of the formation and route made it possible for many of the Sir Knights to see much of the parade.

At the conclusion of the Parade, the Commandery were marched to the special train where the lines were dismissed, and regalia laid aside for the remainder of the trip, the regalia boxes being returned direct to Boston.

The remainder of the day was spent sight seeing in and about Saratoga, and in visiting the Headquarters of the several Commanderies.

Owing to the short time Boston Commandery was to remain at Saratoga, no special head-

quarters had been engaged, lunch and dinner being served at the United States Hotel.

At about midnight, such of the party as were to take the long pilgrimage left for Clayton or special train, the balance of the party, including the band, returning directly to Boston a little later.

Utica, N. Y., was reached in the early morning of Wednesday; here, a stop was made for breakfast, after which the train was again taken and Clayton reached at 11.20 o'clock.

Leaving Clayton on the steamer St. Lawrence, Alexandria Bay was reached at 1.02 o'clock. Here the Commandery was quartered at the Thousand Island House and remained until 8.15 A. M., Friday morning.

During the stay at this place, a steamer trip of about 50 miles was taken among the islands of the St. Lawrence river, while numerous shorter trips were taken by the Sir Knights and ladies in the motor boats which abound at this place.

Leaving Alexandria Bay in one of the large steamers, a change was made at Prescott to one of the smaller boats which go down through the rapids to Montreal. This trip was made in the midst of a wet, rainy day but was enjoyed by those

of our party who were able to be, about, as a large number were ill while at Alexandria Bay.

Reaching Montreal in the early evening, the transfer was made to the Quebec boat, and the journey continued down the river to that city.

During the evening the company was pleasantly entertained by music by the 1st. Club, 1st Pittsburgh Commandery, No. 1, N. T. of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, which body was also making a pilgrimage to Quebec and other Canadian cities.

Breakfast was served on the steamer and Quebec reached at 6.45 o'clock, A. M.

Carriages were taken for a drive through this quaint city — different from any other American city in many respects.

Returning from the drive, many of the party availed themselves of the opportunity to inspect the churches and stores of Quebec, and to visit the falls of Montmorencie, lunch being served at the famous Chateau Frontenac.

Quebec was left by steamer in the early evening, of Saturday, the boat passing the new suspension bridge, a portion of which has since fallen with such result.

Montreal was reached Sunday morning and carriages taken for the drive to

Mr. Kowal.

Returning, a special train was taken at 10.30 A. M. for the Ausable Chasm House, where lunch was served, after which, the party were taken through Clinton's Chasm, returning to the hotel and remaining until Monday morning when the train was taken for Port Kent where a transfer was made to the steamer "Vermont" for the trip down Lake Champlain to Fort Ticonderoga, lunch being served on the boat.

At Fort Ticonderoga, a train was taken to Baldwins where the steamer was again taken for the sail down Lakes George to Marion, which was reached at 3.46 P. M.

Here the party were quartered at the Hotel Marion until the following morning, when a special boat was taken to Ticonderoga where another special train of Pullman Parlor cars was taken for Boston which was reached about 10.20 P. M., Tuesday afternoon.

While this Pilgrimage was not as long as some the Commandery has taken in attending the Triennial Conclaves of the Grand Encampment, yet it presented many interesting features. It is to be regretted that it was not enjoyed by a larger number of the Sir Knights and their friends.

The Pilgrims were deeply indebted to Mr. Charles C. Cooke and to his assistant, Mr. J. Harry King, representing the Raymond and Whitcomb Companies, for their kind attention during the Pilgrimage.

A true record.

Attest. Herbert A. Rhoades.
Acting Recorder.



SARATOGA

July 8 to 16

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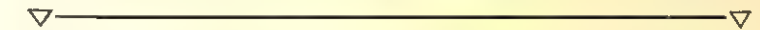
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The Pilgrimage of the Boston Commandery Knights Templar



*In connection with the Thirtieth Triennial Conclave
of the Grand Encampment of the United
States at Saratoga Springs, N.Y.*

July, 1907



*Visiting Albany, the Thousand Islands, the St. Lawrence
River and Rapids, Montreal, Quebec, Ausable Chasm,
Lake Champlain, Lake George and the Berkshire Hills*



CHARLES S. DAMRELL
Eminent Commander, Boston Commandery, Knights Templar

Organization for the Pilgrimage

EMT. SIR CHARLES S. DAMRELL	Eminent Commander
SIR JAMES S. BLAKE	Generalissimo
SIR JESSE E. AMES	Captain General
SIR LEONARD W. ROSS	Senior Warden
SIR FREDERICK C. GRAVES	Junior Warden
SIR OSCAR H. ALLEN	Treasurer
SIR HERBERT A. RHOADES	Recorder
SIR EDWIN A. STONE	Standard Bearer
SIR CHARLES W. HOWARD	Sword Bearer
SIR FRANCIS H. APPLETON	Warder
EMT. SIR HENRY H. LITCHFIELD	Adjutant
EMT. SIR RICHARD A. ATWOOD	Chief of Staff
SIR EDWARD O. HATCH	Captain of Guard
SIR RICHARD HAPGOOD	Commissary
SIR HEZEKIAH McLAUGHLIN	Quartermaster
SIR GEO. L. STEVENSON	Beauseant Bearer
SIR DAVID A. McDONALD	National Color Bearer
SIR GEORGE U. BAUER	Orderly to Commander
SIR EDWARD P. BROCK	Orderly to Commander
SIR WALTER L. TOUGAS	Standard Guard
SIR RALPH M. SMYTH	Standard Guard
SIR WILBERT SOULE	Standard Guard
SIR HERMAN L. KLEIN	Standard Guard
SIR ROBERT E. TURNER	Standard Guard
SIR THOMAS M. CARTER	Musical Director

Itinerary

Monday, July 8.— Leave Boston from the South Station 9.20 A. M., via the Boston & Albany Railroad (New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company, Lessee), in a special train of Pullman parlor cars; luncheon will be served at the station dining rooms, Springfield; arrive at Albany 4.20 P. M. Carriage or omnibus transfer for the ladies to the Hotel Ten Eyck; dinner at the Ten Eyck.



The Ten Eyck

Not only its antiquity but its fine public buildings and other attractions make Albany especially interesting, and one will be amply rewarded by visiting the Capitol, one of the largest and most costly buildings in the world; the City Hall, Washington Park with its fine statuary and unique fountain, the Cathedrals, etc.

Tuesday, July 9.— Breakfast will be served between 6.30 and 7.30 A. M.; carriage or omnibus transfer for the ladies from the hotel to the station. Leave Albany 8.00 A. M. in a special train of Pullman sleeping cars; due at Saratoga Springs 9.10 A. M.; side-track; luncheon and dinner will be served at the United



United States Hotel, Saratoga Springs, N.Y.

States Hotel. Leave Saratoga in Pullman sleeping cars 12.00 MIDNIGHT.

NOTE.— Uniform cases and baggage not required on the balance of the trip will be checked from Saratoga to Boston and delivered to the Commandery armory.

Saratoga with its immense hotels and handsome private residences, its beautiful shaded promenades and boulevards, its

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magnificent parks and phenomenal mineral springs, its brilliant social and literary entertainments, exciting horse races, and ceaseless current of life enjoys a greater distinction than any other watering place on the American continent, and annually attracts a host of visitors from every country of the civilized world to contribute to its gayety. Representatives of the most



The Thousand Island House

diverse nationalities may be seen sipping the medicinal waters, side by side, while on the broad piazzas all languages are spoken. Its various mineral waters are known all over the world. While at the famous European Spas there is but one spring of consequence, at Saratoga the sparkling waters bubble up from more than thirty diverse fountains, each differing from the other in chemical analysis and effect.

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Wednesday, July 10.—Arrive at Utica 7.00 A.M.; breakfast will be served at Baggs Hotel. Leave Utica 8.00 A.M., arriving at Clayton at 12.00 NOON and leave by steamer for Alexandria Bay, arriving about 1.00 P.M.; to the Thousand Island House.

Thursday, July 11.—At the Thousand Island House, Alexandria Bay.



Shooting the Lachine Rapids

NOTE — During the stay at this charming resort there will be a steamer trip among the Islands.

Friday, July 12.—Breakfast at the Thousand Island House. Leave Alexandria Bay 8.00 A.M. on a steamer of the Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Company for the trip down the St. Lawrence River, passing through the Lake of the Thousand Islands and over all the famous rapids. The rapids have a total fall of 221 feet before Montreal is reached, the principal ones being the Long Sault, the Coteau, the Cedars, the Split Rock, and the



"New Island Wanderer" on Her World Renowned Fifty-Mile Tour of the Island

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Lachine, the latter being just above Montreal. The first rapids of the series, the Galop, are encountered five miles below Prescott. Next comes the Long Sault, one of the finest of all, having a continuous run of nine miles. The steamer is here carried along at the rate of about twenty miles an hour wholly



A bit of the Harbor Front — City of Montreal

by the course of the strong current, the steam being shut' off. The Coteau Rapids are below, and the others follow in the order already named. The Lachine Rapids are the most formidable of all and the most difficult to navigate. The surging billows are flanked by rocks which rise on each side of the swift current.

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Trained Indian pilots here take the helm, and the passengers are almost breathless while the steamer glides from out the tempestuous waters into the smooth river again. Luncheon will be served on board the steamer; arrive at Montreal about 6.30 P.M., the boat coming alongside the Quebec steamer, to which the



Victoria Square, Montreal

party will transfer for the further trip down the river to Quebec. Dinner and stateroom berths furnished.

Saturday, July 13.—Breakfast on the steamer. Arrive at Quebec 8.00 A. M.; there will be a carriage drive, bringing under inspection the various places of interest in and about the city. Quebec

City of Montreal from Summit of Mount Royal



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is unique in its every aspect, and of special interest to the American visitor. It is more European in character than American, and of an ancient European type which has suffered few changes.

The city presents a very striking appearance from the river; the steep cliffs, crowned by the walls of the Citadel, the quaint



Dufferin Terrace and Lower Town from the Citadel, Quebec

buildings, and the glistening spires, domes, and roofs, forming a picture essentially foreign, which the groups of "carters," with their *calèches* and other strange vehicles met with at the docks, only serve to heighten. The upper town is surrounded by a massive and frowning wall of hewn stone nearly three miles in length, and five gateways formerly communicated with the enclosed part of the city. Some of them have been replaced by magnificent ornamental structures. From the lofty Citadel, or from the magnificent promenade known as Dufferin Terrace,

City of Quebec from Lévis



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the beholder looks down upon a curious scene of activity. The Citadel covers about forty acres, and was long considered an impregnable fortress. The Plains of Abraham, and the precipitous cliffs scaled by the intrepid Wolfe and his brave soldiers, in that famous surprise and victory of 1759, are near at hand.



Sous le Cap Street, Lower Town, Quebec

A monument, inscribed "Here died Wolf, victorious," marks the spot where the hero fell. Montcalm, who was killed in the same battle, was buried in the chapel of the Ursuline convent, near the hotel. Point Levis, on the opposite bank, is where Arnold and his little army rendezvoused in 1775, after their memorable march through the wilderness. The Governor's Garden, or garden of the fortress, contains a monument sixty-

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five feet in height, which was erected to the memory of those two brave commanders, Wolfe and Montcalm, jointly. The Basilica, or French Cathedral, contains some paintings by



Cape Diamond, Lower Town, Quebec, where Montgomery fell, December, 31, 1775

eminent artists. The Laval University is near the Cathedral. Luncheon will be served at the elegant Chateau Frontenac 12 00 NOON. Leave Quebec by the steamer 6.30 P. M.; supper and stateroom berths furnished.

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Sunday, July 14.— Breakfast on the steamer. Arrive at Montreal 8.00 A. M.; there will be a drive, either by carriages or automobiles, to enable the travelers to form a comprehensive idea of the many charms of the city and its surroundings. The beautiful park on the summit of Mount Royal will be included in this

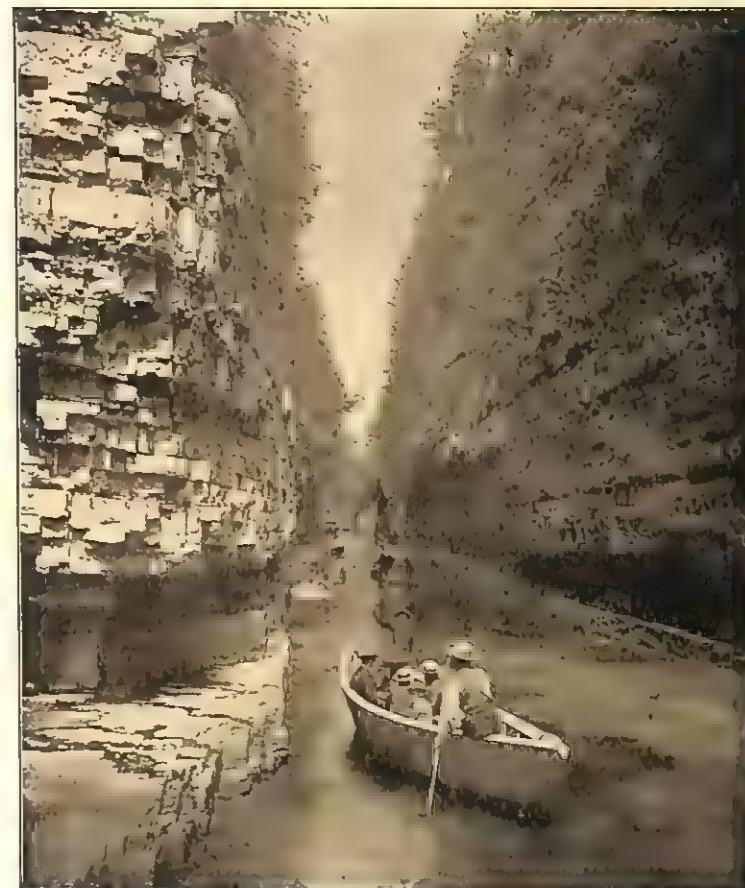


Where Wolfe Died, Plains of Abraham, Quebec

round. Leave Montreal by train not later than 10.30 A. M., from the Bonaventure station, arriving at Ausable Chasm 1.30 P. M. After luncheon at the Hotel Ausable Chasm, there will be a visit to the wonderful Ausable Chasm, taking boats through the lower part of the gorge and carriages back to the hotel.

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Monday, July 15.— Leave Ausable Chasm about 7.00 A. M. by rail for Port Kent and thence by the steamer "Vermont" of the Champlain Transportation Company for the charming trip



The Grand Flume, Ausable Chasm

through the finest scenic sections of the lake; dinner will be served on the steamer. Arrive at Fort Ticonderoga 12.20 NOON; thence by rail to Baldwin, where a steamer of the Lake George



Lake George — View from the North

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Hotel Marion

Steamboat Company is taken for the trip through Lake George to Marion Landing, arriving 2.45 P.M.; to the hotel Marion.

Tuesday, July 16.—Leave Hotel Marion by steamer 7.00 A.M., and leave Lake George Station (Caldwell) in Pullman parlor cars 8.30 A.M., due Albany about 12.00 NOON; luncheon will be served at the Union Station dining rooms; leave Albany 1.00 P.M. *via* Boston & Albany Line, due in Boston about 6.40. P.M.

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Total.....	1,461

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